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WILL FRANCHISES PAY THEIR SHARE?

Problem for the State Board of Equalization.

ARGUMENTS AT THE HEARING

STREET RAILWAYS PLEAD FOR LOW ASSESSMENT.

Other St. Louis Representatives Urge an Increase, So That Franchise Corporations Shall Bear Their Proper Burden of Taxes.

From a Post-Dispatch Staff Correspondent.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., June 12.—The State Board of Equalization has concluded the hearings of the various interests in St. Louis, Kansas City and the state at large and is now wrestling with the difficult question of a just assessment.

On Tuesday Mr. F. W. Lehman, representing the St. Louis Transit Co., appeared before the board and made a plea which seemed to be a protest against any raising of the assessment over that of last year. He was followed by General Manager Jenkins of the St. Louis & Suburban along the same lines.

Later in the day Mr. S. L. Moser, representative of the St. Louis School Patrons' Alliance, People's Church and Welfare Association and the St. Louis Single Tax League addressed the board in opposition to any reduction and advocating an increase, especially in the assessment of the St. Louis street railways and the terminal property.

The discussion was entirely one of values. No reference was made to the franchise tax law as open to question. A basis of assessment which shall equalize and justly distribute the burden was the bone of contention.

In St. Louis that basis is 66 per cent of actual values, excluding the street railway and other franchised corporations. In Kansas City it is 40 per cent and over the rest of the state ranges about 33 1-3 to 35. On a basis of market values the street railroads of St. Louis pay on a proportion of about 35 per cent.

Mr. Lehman, anticipating the argument that the values for taxation should be market value, declared that the only fair way to arrive at the truth was from income. Market quotations had nothing to do with it. He confessed himself utterly unable to understand why a stock which pays no dividends can have a value for taxation, and he was almost equally puzzled to know why it should have any value for sale.

With this logic he sought to convince the board that the St. Louis transit property was not good for much, especially for purposes of taxation.

Strong Plea for Franchise Taxation.

Mr. Moser, for the School Patrons' Alliance, made an earnest plea for an equalization which should compel the franchised companies to bear a share proportionately as great as that borne by real estate and mercantile property in St. Louis. The total assessment of property in St. Louis other than street railroads and terminal is now $360,000,000, indicating, on a basis of 66 2-3 per cent, a valuation of $550,000,000. The market value of the Transit securities, according to the representative of the School Patrons' Alliance, is $50,624,000. The assessment last year was $16,000,000, or about 32 per cent, less than half the proportion employed in the assessment of other property. The Terminal properties are worth $23,000,000 and are assessed at $3,000,000, about 14½ per cent, less than one-fourth the proportion of other property.

It was pointed out to the board that the alternative of an increased assessment was an additional tax levy for school purposes, which had already been proposed.

"Raise the assessment on street railroad property to an equality with other property," it was argued, "and you not only obviate the necessity of the school tax, but reduce the amount necessary to raise on a bonded debt for purposes of municipal improvement."

Mr. Lehman contended with great earnestness that street railroad property in St. Louis paid from three to five times as much tax in proportion as was paid by the mercantile and manufacturing interests. It was replied to this that evasion and dodging were not in question.

No Conclusion Has Been Reached.

No conclusion has been reached. The board will take time to reduce the various arguments to plain print and collect statistics before taking definite action.

Last April a series of interrogatories, 33 in number, were sent to the companies operating lines of steam, electric or cable railroads, wholly or partly within the state. The replies to these questions are now being tabulated and arranged preliminary to a critical examination.

Among these interrogatories are questions relating to capital stock, cost of construction, approximate cost of reproduction, market value of stocks, dividends paid, bonded indebtedness, earnings and actual cash values with methods and facts considered in determining these values.

Question Is Now to the Board.

All the members of the board except Attorney-General Crow are meeting the question of assessments in Missouri for the first time. Secretary of State Cook thinks the board has received considerable valuable information through the hearings from time to time. But he observed that while the interests directly affected were much in evidence, the citizens were left without a voice, except on one or two occasions. When the Kansas City assessment came up for consideration the mayor of that city, accompanied by a number of representatives of citizens' associations, presented the case from the standpoint of the public interest. From St. Louis no one has spoken from that standpoint save Mr. Moser.

What the action of the board will be cannot be indicated at present. The questions put to Messrs. Lehman and Jenkins showed considerable interest in getting the real facts, but did not afford any clew to the line of policy likely to be pursued.

UNIDENTIFIED MAN KILLED.

He Wore Stolen Coat When Terminal Train Struck Him.

At 9 o'clock Tuesday night, the mangled body of a man was found in the Terminal yards at Twenty-first and Poplar streets.

He had been killed by a train that had passed a few minutes before.

The body was sent to the Morgue, and the papers that were found in the pocket of the coat indicated that it belonged to Allen O. Lighter, a carpenter who is employed by the Buck Stove and Range Co.

At 11 o'clock Tuesday night Lighter called at the morgue and identified his property, saying it had been stolen from him during the afternoon.

The dead man was about 28 years old, nearly six feet tall and was roughly dressed. He was smooth shaven. The remains were viewed by members of the detective department, but none of them could identify him.

MERRY TIME FOR MARSHAL BOHLE

Prisoner Escaped From Him at Union Station.

LEFT HIM ALONE IN A CAR

BAGGAGEMEN PURSUED AND CAPTURED THE ROBBER.

James Blackburn, a United States Prisoner, Took Refuge in an Express Office, While Bohle Still Pursued Him.

Marshal Bohle,
Walk slowly
With a wight adjudged unholy,
Had no idy
Ere his ride he
Would be chasing his man Friday.

James Blackburn, under six years' sentence for postoffice robbery, escaped from United States Marshal Louis C. Bohle at Union Station early Wednesday morning, but was captured by expressmen and baggagemen only after a hot chase among the cars in the train sheds and the yards.

Blackburn was on his way to Jefferson City in charge of Marshal Bohle to begin his sentence there in the penitentiary.

He was one of four men who robbed the postoffice at Salem, Dent Count, Mo., last spring. All four were found guilty and sentenced in the Federal Court May 10. The other three, D. B. Kelly, James Wallace and Nicholas F. Gardner, were taken to the penitentiary June 2.

Blackburn was ill at the time and failed to pass the medical examination.

He was the only prisoner in charge of Marshal Bohle Wednesday morning and was securely handcuffed.

The marshal arrived at Union Station just in time to catch Missouri Pacific passenger train No. 5, which leaves at 7:25 a. m.

He took Blackburn into the rear car by the rear entrance. There was nobody in the car. Blackburn took a seat near the middle of the car, and Marshal Bohle, supposing that the door at the fore end was locked, got off the car at the rear end and stood there talking to a friend.

As soon as Blackburn saw that he was alone in the car he walked to the front and tried the door.

It opened. He stepped outside and walked down to the pavement on the opposite side of the car from Marshal Bohle.

He still had on the handcuffs which would prove him an escaped prisoner to anyone who might see him.

Once off the car he started on a run to get around the head of the train and off among the cars in other parts of the shed or in the yards.

A group of baggagemen and expressmen standing near the station baggage room saw him and, giving a yell, started in pursuit.

The yell was the first intimation Marshal Bohle received that anything was wrong. Blackburn had been away three minutes then, and had a good lead on his pursuers.

Bohle ran inside the car when he heard the yell. Seeing that his prisoner was gone and the door at the front of the car open, he rushed through it and out into the trainshed, just in time to see the group of baggagemen and expressmen disappearing in the chase.

He drew his revolver and fired several shots into the air to frighten the escaped prisoner, but Blackburn kept on running as fast as he could with his hands handcuffed in front of him.

The pursuers gained on him slowly. After chasing him up and down between the cars in the sheds and yards they finally caught up with him and forced him to take refuge in the office of the Adams Express Co.

Even when thus cornered, Blackburn was game, and the crowd subdued him only after a struggle in which he was considerably bruised.

He was then led back to Marshal Bohle, who was met still running after the pursuers.

The marshal took the prisoner in charge and returned to the train, which pulled out immediately.

THE COUSIN OF CHARLEY ROSS

Queer Attempt at Kidnaping by a Disappointed Suitor Who Is Now Raving Mad.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., June 12.—An attempt has been made to kidnap a cousin of Charley Ross. Gideon Smithson has been arrested charged with the crime.

Eleven-year-old Paul Wolf and Eddie Ross, two years his senior, were taken by Smithson to Egg Harbor City, where the latter was arrested.

Smithson, it is said, had been a suitor for the hand of William Ross' daughter. She married another, and Smithson, it is charged, then enticed her brother Eddie away from home.

Foiled in his plan, he is now raving in a cell here so violently that the police fear he may attempt suicide.

THEIR CONFIDENCE MISPLACED

Minnesota Farmers Find the Banker They Trusted Is Hopelessly Insolvent With $125,000 Liabilities.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ST. PAUL, Minn., June 12.—Hans Groner, who has for 40 years been a respected citizen of Renville County, and who was supposed to be worth $250,000, has failed, with reported liabilities amounting to $125,000 and no assets.

For many years he has been the owner of the bank of Beaver Falls and a heavy stockholder in the Morton Bank and other banks and trust companies. He has been engaged in loaning trust funds for Wisconsin and Eastern parties, as well as hundreds of people of this county who have intrusted their earnings to him.

To the astonishment of every one who knew him, it has now been learned that he is in a hopeless state of insolvency. The farmers will be the chief losers.

GOVERNMENT NOT INVOLVED.

Machinists Permitted to Work on the Army Transports.

TACOMA, Wash., June 12.—All government work on ships, acording to arrangements made by the local union and a Bremerton union, may be done at the Bremerton dry dock without interference of any union on Pugent Sound.

The committee of machinists and boiler makers who went to Port Orchard have returned and afterwards a meeting was held and the order to quit work was rescinded. An officer of the local union says:

"The Tacoma, as well as other unions on Puget Sound, was aware that the movement to take the government vessels to the dry docks was intended to involve the Puget Sound machinists' unions with the government. Therefore we were prepared to meet this movement, and have authorized all strictly government work to be done there. This decision will permit the Rosecrans and the Bear to go to the dry dock to complete repairs and local men will be given work there."

TRANSIT CO. IN A PREDICAMENT

Tracks are Laid But Trolley Poles Refused.

NEW EXTENSION IMPERATIVE

CITY COUNSELOR SAYS TROLLEY MUST GO UNDERGROUND.

Application to B. P. I. for Trolley Poles Turned Down and Company's Attorneys Now Investigating Its Rights.

The St. Louis Transit Co. has not decided whether it will lay an underground trolley for its new extension from Twelfth on Pine to Twenty-first to Spruce street.

Second Vice-President Dupont told the Post-Dispatch Wednesday that the company had referred the case to its attorneys for an opinion as to whether it has a right under its franchise to operate the extension with an overhead trolley.

He said a decision will not be made until this opinion shall have been received.

City Counselor Schnurmacher, at the request of the Board of Public Improvements, has rendered an opinion in which he holds that, under the company's franchise, it must operate with an underground trolley.

When permission to build the extension was granted a condition was inserted that the trolley must be laid underground. The company made no provision for such a trolley in constructing the line which is now about completed and ready for the operation of cars.

A few weeks ago it applied to the Board of Public Improvements for permission to erect poles along the route for an overhead trolley. President Phillips referred the application to Mr. Schnurmacher, with a request that he render an opinion about the validity of the condition in the franchise.

Upon receipt of the opinion the Board of Public Improvements sent it to the City lighting supervisor with instructions that he see that no trolley shall be erected along the route until the board shall have acted on the application for the permit.

A member of the board stated Wednesday that the permit will be refused when the application is called for a hearing, the members being unanimously in favor of such action.

Would Have to Tear Up Tracks.

If the company shall be compelled to build the underground trolley in operating its cars, it must partially tear up the tracks, the laying of which it has just finished.

Double tracks have been built along the entire route, and cars cannot be operated over them without a conduit under each track.

"The company has known all the time," said a member of the Board of Public Improvements, "that it must comply with the underground trolley order, and that the board will not permit it to operate with an overhead trolley.

"It has purposely failed to make provision for an underground trolley because it doesn't care whether it operates the line or not. The line, it is generally understood, was built to keep the Suburban company from building an extension into Union Station. The mere laying of the tracks will do that for a while, and the opposition of the board to an overhead trolley can be used as an excuse for not operating the line."

The underground trolley condition was inserted in the permit for the extension to introduce the system in St. Louis.

The power for an underground trolley is supplied along two steel rails fitted under the center of the track and between which the trolley runs, running through a slot, like a cable bar, operates.

The changing of the Broadway cable line in New York to this system was accomplished in 23¼ hours. At 9 o'clock on the evening of May 25 the last cable car was sent out and, as it finished its run and started on the return, the task of winding up the 10 miles of steel cable on a spool was begun. The car hung to the end to keep the cable taut during the winding. At 7:30 o'clock the next evening the first electric car was sent out.

The work of putting the power rails in place and building the conduits required three years, but during all that time the cable traffic carried on over the rails now used for the electric line was not hampered.

DISCIPLINED BY DOWIE

Two of His Elders Failed to Vote Him Elijah II and Were Summarily Expelled.

CHICAGO, June 12.—John Alexander Dowie has expelled two of his elders, and three others are on probation. The five refused to recognize the Zion leader as Elijah II.

According to the latest issue of "Leaves of Healing," John Alexander Dowie's publication, he was not sure he was Elijah II when he announced it from the platform in the Auditorium eight days ago. So he called a meeting of the elders, overseers, deaconesses and deacons one week ago. His story of the conference says 254 were present, and that he talked to them four and one-half hours. Then he took a ballot to see whether he was Elijah II or not, and found out he was by a vote of 249 to 5. These five refused to make the vote unanimous, and two of them, Elders Inouye and Kitano, whom Dowie had fixed upon as the heads of his sect in Japan, their native country, were expelled. The others are on probation.

Dowie emphasizes that now that he has been elected Elijah II by his followers he no longer speaks by permission of God, but by full authority of a completed divine commission. He says he will live until Jesus Christ returns to earth to restore all things.

WARM WEATHER TO CONTINUE

Prophet Hyatt Says Heated Spell Will Last Through Thursday Unless Unexpected Thunderstorms Intervene.

The weather will continue warm, Dr. Hyatt says.

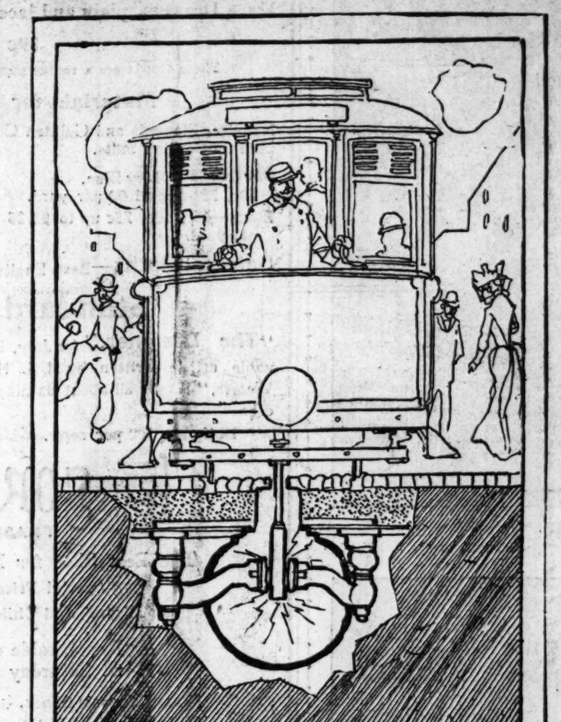
It will also be fair Wednesday night and possibly Thursday, according to the official prognostication.

"Local thunderstorms may give us some relief Thursday," said the doctor Wednesday morning.

It was a trifle cooler Wednesday morning than during the same period Tuesday.

The thermometer started out at 73 at 7 o'clock and by noon registered 83.

WILL ST. LOUIS E'ER SEE THIS?



Underground trolley in operation, as it appears in New York; the transit company's franchise for the Pine street line from Twelfth street to Union Station provides for an underground trolley, but the transit company has not as yet complied with this provision.

STRUCK ON HIS HEAD

ALEXANDER PIEL FELL BACKWARDS FROM A LADDER.

UNCONSCIOUS WHEN FOUND.

Accident Happened at the Residence of Louis Opel, 4160 Lindell Boulevard, Where He Was Employed.

Alexander Piel's head struck nearly every rung of a ladder down which he fell backwards for 20 feet at the residence of Louis Opel, 4160 Lindell boulevard Monday afternoon.

The back of his head, the neck and shoulders bear the imprint of the welts raised by the series of quick encounters with the ladder.

Assistant Superintendent Rassieur of the City Hospital, where Piel was taken after the fall, says that three years ago Piel was brought to the hospital after having fallen from the second story of the Century building, down a ladder, in the same manner and with the same results.

Piel was engaged in hanging awnings from the upper part of the casements of the high first story windows of the Opel residence when his feet became entangled in the cordage attached to the awnings. In trying to free himself one foot slipped from the ladder rung on which he was standing and his legs lurched through the opening.

His shoulders hit the lower rungs, and he began his rough descent to the bottom. It was a series of bumps as his body slid down the incline swiftly to the granitoid sidewalk around the house.

Piel says that he has no recollection of how he came down the ladder head first, because he lost consciousness as his head struck the ladder for the first time.

Where the back of the skull came into contact with the walk there is a large scalp wound, but otherwise the awning hanger is not injured. A New Testament was taken from one of his pockets when he arrived at the hospital in an ambulance. Piel boards at Fourth street and Clark avenue.

VICTIM BECAME PROSECUTOR

Charles Bratz Quickly Turned the Tables on the Man Who Had Accused Him.

For 15 minutes Wednesday morning Charles Bratz a grocer at 1240 North High street, was in danger of being placed in jail on a charge of assault to kill.

Then there was a change and Bratz stood exonerated without any trial, and he was made the prosecuting witness in a highway robbery case.

Wednesday morning Christian F. Keller, who lives at the same address at Bratz, called at the warrant office with several witnesses and applied for a warrant against Bratz. Keller said that Bratz, without provocation, dashed upstairs into Keller's home and fired five shots at him. He was corroborated by his daughter, Teresa, and other witnesses. The warrant was issued.

Fifteen minutes later Bratz, accompanied by a policeman, entered the warrant office. Bratz was unaware that there was a warrant against him, and he related how, on Tuesday afternoon, George Krueger of 1322 North High street entered his store and snatched his watch, breaking the chain. Bratz volunteered the information that he had fired his revolver in the air to attract the attention of the police. This was corroborated by Policeman Mahoney, who said he had recovered the watch.

The similarity of names attracted the attention of the warrant officers, and Mr. Johnson investigated. It was alleged by Bratz and the police that when Krueger snatched the watch he threw it to the daughter of Christian Keller, from whom it was recovered.

After hearing Bratz's story Mr. Johnson withdrew the warrant against him and issued one against Krueger, charging highway robbery.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

FAIR.

For St. Louis and vicinity—Generally fair and continued warm Wednesday night and probably Thursday, except possibly local thunder storms Thursday.

Missouri—Generally fair, except possibly local thunder storms Thursday and in northwest portion Wednesday night; southerly winds.

COURT DENIES WRIT

CHARLES GREEN LOSES IN THE BURKE ESTATE CASE.

LOWER COURT SUSTAINED

The Question Was on the Enforcing of an Order of Distribution by the Probate Court.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., June 12.—Judge Valliant, in an opinion in Division No. 1 of the Supreme Court this morning, denied Charles Green, the executor of the will of Patrick J. Burke, a writ of prohibition against W. W. Henderson, judge, and C. W. Koenig, clerk, of the Probate Court of St. Louis.

This is an original proceeding to prevent the enforcement of an order of distribution against Green as the executor of Burke's will, on the ground that the Probate Court had no jurisdiction to make the order of distribution because there had been no judgment of that court in final settlement from which an appeal to the Circuit Court could be taken, and that Green was not duly notified of the application for the order of distribution. This court says that, as to the objection that the Probate Court had no jurisdiction in the case, seems to rest on a misunderstanding by Green's attorney as to what occurred in the Probate Court when the final settlement was presented. The court used the word "pass" in reference to the matter, and the counsel interpreted that to mean continued until the next term. This court says it sees no merit in that point and, indeed, does not now understand the counsel to press that point.

As to the objection that no notice was given Green, the court says that there is no statute prescribing a notice to be given to an executor or administrator in such cases. Concluding the court says: "We are of the opinion that the Probate Court has not exceeded its jurisdiction and the writ of prohibition is therefore denied." All judges concur.

Division No. 1 of the Missouri Supreme Court met this morning and handed down opinions as follows and adjourned to the first inst., which will probably be the last meeting of this division on the bench before the regular summer adjournment:

By Brace, P. J.:
Parker vs. Veatch; affirmed conditionally and remanded with directions.
Butler County vs. Boatmen's Savings Bank; transferred to court in banc.
Wagner vs. Scott; reversed and remanded.
Hamburger vs. Rinkle; affirmed.
City of Brookfield vs. Kitchen; affirmed.
Pirtle vs. Blow; appeal dismissed.
By Robinson, J.:
Bradley vs. Milwaukee Insurance Co.; transferred to Kansas City Court of Appeals.
Bradley vs. German American Insurance Co.; transferred to Kansas City Court of Appeals.
Butler vs. Carpenter; reversed and remanded.
Gibbs vs. Whitwell; affirmed.
By Marshall, J.:
Benn vs. Pritchett; reversed and remanded with directions.
McLeod vs. Venable; affirmed.
Rinard vs. O. K. C. & E. Ry. Co.; affirmed.
Ladd vs. Forsee; reversed and remanded.
Quick vs. Riffe; reversed.
In re assessment Excelsior Manufacturing Co.; reversed and remanded.
By Valliant, J.:
Wendler vs. People's House Furnishing Co.; transferred to court in banc.
State ex rel. Green vs. Henderson; writ prohibition denied.
Schmidt vs. St. Louis Railway Co.; reversed and remanded with directions.
Frank vs. Bohemian R. C. Central Union; reversed.
Bricken vs. Cross; reversed.
Crawford vs. Jones; affirmed.
Dueste vs. St. Louis Stamp Co.; reversed and remanded.
Orders:
Bircher vs. Walther; motion for rehearing and to transfer to court in banc overruled.
Berkley vs. Tootle; motion for rehearing overruled.
Locke vs. McPherson; motion for rehearing overruled.
State ex rel. Gordon vs. Kennedy; motion for rehearing overruled.
Merrielies vs. Wabash Railway Co.; motion for rehearing overruled.
Rivers vs. Blom; motion for rehearing overruled.
Reed vs. Lowe; motion for rehearing overruled.
Lemmons vs. McKinney; motion to tax costs printing abstract sustained.
McClure vs. Paducah Iron Co.; transferred to St. Louis Court of Appeals.

YOUNG LADY KILLED.

Miss Lucas and a Companion in a Runaway Accident.

ST. ANTHONY, Idaho, June 11.—Miss Lila Pratt of Edmonds, Idaho, was killed and Miss Lucas, daughter of Bishop Lucas, seriously injured in a runaway accident while the two young women and Bishop Lucas were returning from a drive to Rexburg.

NEW ROAD PLANNED

FOREST PARK RAILWAY ASSOCIATION ASKS FOR FRANCHISE.

DELEGATE TROLL READS BILL

It Authorizes Company to Belt Forest Park, but Promoters of Line Are Unidentified.

New electric and steam railroad lines through Forest Park are proposed in a bill introduced into the House of Delegates Tuesday night by Charles Troll, elected on the Republican and Municipal Ownership tickets as the representative of the Eighth ward.

"The Forest Park Railway Association" is the name given in the bill by the promoters of the enterprise.

Who the backers are Mr. Troll would not state on the floor of the House or after the meeting.

By the terms of the bill a double track railroad, with either electricity or steam as a motive power, and to be used by freight as well as passenger cars, may be laid in all directions from the transit company's loop at Laclede avenue and King's highway.

One line runs due west to a proposed World's Fair site. This is to be intersected by a north and south line which follows the line of a prolongation of Union boulevard, across the park.

Connections with existing lines entering Forest Park are authorized, and the company is to have the right to charge 50 cents for every carload of freight hauled, and $1 a day for every car remaining on its tracks or in its yards longer than 24 hours.

The bill says nothing about rates of passenger fare. The rate of compensation to the city is fixed at 7½ per cent of the "net profits."

The work is to commence within six months from the date of the approval of the ordinance and to be completed "as expeditiously as possible."

Delegate Reiss objected to allowing the bill to proceed to a second reading without a statement from Mr. Troll of the names of the backers of the enterprise.

This the delegate from the Eighth refused to give, but said that he might reply to the question after adjournment. He then declared that the backers of the bill are "good men," and that the measure will have his vote.

The compensation of 7½ per cent, which the company proposes to pay to the city from its "net profits," is to commence three years after the approval of the franchise ordinance.

This would exempt the company from paying anything to the city during the World's Fair period.

Speaker Cronin, who was not present when the bill was read, although he was in the chair at the opening of Tuesday night's session, said Wednesday that he did not know who was behind Mr. Troll's bill, but had heard that former Councilman Charles Kratz and a syndicate of South St. Louis men were interested in it.

REMEMBERED "OLD MISSUS"

Former Slave Woman Who Had Grown Wealthy Left $12,000 to Her Former Owner.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW ORLEANS, June 12.—Before the civil war, Louisa Grant of Donaldsonville, La., was the favorite slave of her mistress, the wife of a prominent Louisiana planter, for whom she had been named. After the war Louisa went to work for herself, taking in washing and saving money, but always speaking of Mrs. Grant as her "old Missus," and revering her above all others.

Louisa died on Sunday. She had accumulated considerable money and had invested it so wisely in real estate that competent appraisers figure the worth of houses and lots she own in Donaldsonville at $12,000. Her will was admitted to probate today. She leaves all her belongings, real and personal, to Mrs. Grant. Not a cent is left to her own people, and she had a large family.

STRIKE AGAINST A BOYCOTT.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 12.—The Journeymen Butchers' Union have decided to strike. About 1800 men will walk out. The declaration to strike was brought about by the threat of the wholesale butchers to decline to serve meat to retail shops displaying union cards.

TO INVESTIGATE THE FENDER LAW

Transit Company Obligations Will Be Determined.

B. P. I. PRESIDENT AROUSED

HE WILL ACT AFTER CONSULTING CITY COUNSELOR.

President Phillips of the Board of Public Improvement intends to prepare a communication to the St. Louis Transit Co., notifying it of the company's obligation in regard to fenders, as soon as the exact nature of these obligations is learned through an opinion of the city counselor.

Mr. Phillips has asked the city counselor to inform him whether the fender regulations imposed by law on the Lindell Railway and other independent street railway companies apply to the same lines since their consolidation with the St. Louis Transit Co.

As soon as an opinion on this point has shown the city's position and the company's rights, Mr. Phillips says he intends to notify the company's officials that they must conform with the exact requirements of the law as interpreted by the city counselor.

"I am very anxious to take action as promptly as possible toward securing efficient fenders," said Mr. Phillips to the Post-Dispatch, "but it is necessary to know the exact legal status of the matter before any such step is taken. The city counselor is now preparing an opinion which will show us exactly where we stand. When this is received I shall inform the company's officials at once of their obligations in the matter, and of the steps which I shall be required to take if they do not comply with the law."

The fender ordinances attached to the franchises of the old independent street railway companies differed widely. The Lindell Railway Co. was required to equip its cars with fenders of a pattern to be approved by the Board of Public Improvements.

Former President McMath of the board, when requested to take steps to enforce the fender ordinance, expressed the opinion that the requirement could not be made binding on the companies, as no penalty for failure to comply with its terms was prescribed.

FAREWELL TO CREEK NATION

Its Members to Become United States Citizens.

SPECTACLE AT MUSCOGEE

PARADE AND BARBECUE IN RATIFICATION OF THE TREATY.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MUSKOGEE, I. T., June 12.—This is the biggest day in the history of Muskogee and the Creek Nation.

In this city, the metropolis of the nation, the Indian citizens and the white residents are publicly ratifying the treaty between the Creek tribe and the United States, which was officially ratified by the great council of the Creeks at Okmulgee last April.

By the terms of this treaty the old Creek tribal government will cease, the lands will be allotted in severalty and the Indians will eventually become citizens of the United States.

Muskogee is crowded with visitors from all over the Indian Territory, red, white and black. There was an unique parade of the Indians and whites in the morning, ending at a grove a mile from town, where the grandest barbecue in the history of the territory was enjoyed by 10,000 Indians, whites and negroes.

Thirty beeves were barbecued. Three thousand pounds of bread were served with the roast beef.

In the afternoon there were speeches by ex-Congressman C. R. Breckenridge of Arkansas, Congressman Charles Curtis of Kansas, Judge Thomas of Muskogee, District Attorney Soper of Vinita, T. B. Needles of the Dawes Indian Commission and Gen. Pleasant Porter, principal chief of governors of the Creeks and other distinguished men.

Many interesting Indian characters are present. Whole families of fullbloods from far back in the hills made their first visit to the city. Some are gorgeously clad in all the colors of calico. No more picturesque gathering was ever seen in the territory. United States Marshal Leo E. Bennett has sworn in a force of special deputies to preserve order. There are flimflam and shell game men here from the states, who have been spottd for arrest if they seek to bunko the unsophisticated red man, now breaking into the full civilization.

YAGRO FELL 30 FEET

TUMBLED INTO BASEMENT AT BROADWAY AND OLIVE.

WORKMEN PULLED HIM OUT.

Michael Yagro, Working by Night for the Transit Company, Had a Painful Mishap at 4 a. m.

Michael Yagro fell 30 feet from the street into the basement of the new Bank of Commerce building at Olive street and Broadway at 4 o'clock Wednesday morning.

He was removed to the City Hospital, where an examination revealed internal injuries and severe contusions on the body.

Yagro lives at 2918 Papin street and is a mechanic who has been employed on the laying of tracks for the Transit company at the corner of Olive street and Broadway, where the work has been under way at night.

Electric bulbs strung from the trolley wires above the tracks furnish the illumination by which the workmen are enabled to carry on their employment. The sidewalks are in a shadow.

Yagro ventured into the shadow after having come out of the glow of the overhead illumination. The sudden transition from light to darkness blinded him for the moment. He stepped unwittingly into a hole and was precipitated into the foundations of the new building on the southeast corner.

Foreman David Finnessy and other workmen heard the crash of the falling body and ran to the spot from which the noise came. They heard groans issuing from the basement and, securing a ladder, descended into the subterranean darkness, where they groped about with matches, directed partly by the exclamations of pain from Yagro.

After finding their comrade among a pile of iron and stone debris they rigged a sling of ropes and with the assistance of men on the ladder, drew Yagro to the surface.

Foreman Finnessy says that Yagro had no business that part of him toward the building and should not have left his work and gone into the darkness.

MRS. M'KINLEY IS IMPROVING

Physicians Expect Her to Spend Part of the Day in Her Rolling Chair.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—After the consultation of Mrs. McKinley's physicians this forenoon the following statement was issued:

"Mrs. McKinley's physicians report that she continues to show improvement and expects to spend part of the day in her rolling chair."

FLANNIGEN'S FISH POND

East Side Attorney Will Allow His Friends and Others to Fish There Free.

Alexander Flannigen, an East St. Louis attorney, has established a mammoth fish pond at Centerville Station, St. Clair County, Ill., for the free use of his friends and others who are unable to pay for the privilege elsewhere.

Flannigen's lake is one-fourth of a mile in length, has an average depth of 10 feet and covers 25 acres.

It is situated near the foothills of the "bluffs" on a large area of land, which Mr. Flannigen has owned for many years.

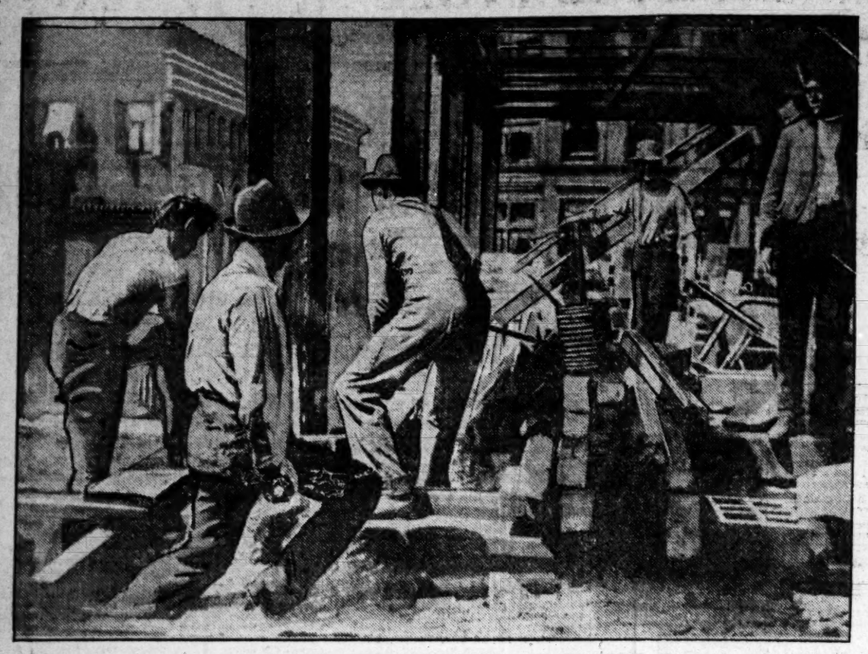
Last week a force of men tapped Pittsburg Lake, immediately to the north, for the purpose of irrigating the Flannigen farm. During a heavy storm and freshet which followed the lake overflowed and flooded Mr. Flannigen's land. The next morning his men picked up 841 fish—buffalo, carp, cat, crappie and bass.

The idea then entered Mr. Flannigen's head to build a fish pond of his own. He put 40 men to work enlarging a natural excavation at the foothills. He transferred the fish from a temporary pond to this artificial lake, after which more water was allowed to run in from Pittsburg Lake.

Mr. Flannigen has issued invitations to 500 persons to attend the resort Sunday, June 23, and thereafter it will be open and accessible every day in the week and absolutely free of charge. It cost him $600, but he says he will get that much satisfaction from watching the people fish.

POST-DISPATCH CAMERA STORIES OF ST. LOUIS

THE NEW BANK OF COMMERCE BUILDING.



RIVET CREW PILING THE BEAMS ON BEARERS.

Photograph by the Post-Dispatch.

High Above the Street This Strange Game Goes on Day After Day.

A game of pitch and catch with redhot rivets, in which the pitcher handles the sphere with a pair of tongs and the catcher receives it in an iron bucket, is in constant progress these days on top of the new Bank of Commerce building at Broadway and Olive street.

High above the street, on the thin skeleton of steel which is climbing day by day, are men risking their lives at work and laugh at the thought of danger.

No process in the construction of a modern skyscraper is more interesting than that of the riveting together of the beams which constitute the framework of the building. The men who do this work must be not only skilled in their calling, but insensible to fear.

Each gang of riveters consists of four men. One tends the little portable forge, by means of which the iron rivets are heated. The others are armed with hammers for driving the rivets through the holes left for them in the beams and securing them.

The man who tends the forge is stationed on a temporary platform in the center of a wing of the building where his gang is at work. The others are, perhaps, hanging to a swinging platform of boards, tied to the beams which they are about to rivet.

The bolts are two inches long and half an inch in diameter. As soon as they are heated the man at the bellows, who is the pitcher in this strange game of mid-air baseball, knocks once or twice on the side of the forge. The rest of the gang, if they are ready, announce the fact, and one of them, answering to the catcher, grasps an iron bucket, which looks like an empty powder can, and stands ready to receive the "ball."

The pitcher grasps a redhot bolt firmly with a pair of light tongs, gives his arm a good swing and sends it flying through the air, 20, 30 or even 40 feet, toward the man with the bucket.

The latter deftly catches the redhot missile, an assistant picks it up with a pair of tongs, and, in a few seconds, it is hammered into place by the three in unison.

A "wild pitch" by the man at the forge, a muff or error by the catcher, a momentary loss of balance or attack of light-headedness on the part of either player would involve serious if not fatal consequences in this game. Disfigurement, if the hot iron should but glancingly touch any member of the gang; death, if it should catch in his clothing or cause him to tumble to the street, eight or ten stories below, would be the penalty for a misplay.

There are three gangs of riveters at work on the Bank of Commerce building. Their work is on the upper floors of the building. They are men especially trained for this kind of work. They do nothing else. Some of the catchers are so expert that they can handle the iron bucket with one hand.

The pitchers must also be experienced men, and must be able to throw without causing the bolt to turn over and over in the air. Sometimes the forge is on one floor, while the riveting is being done on the floor above, but the bolts are still passed as before.

As the work of riveting precedes everything else on the building, it is evident that much time is saved by the system described, even at the risk of danger to the men. Riveters receive one-third more pay than the other workmen. Most of them are young men. Statistics show that fewer of the old, experienced men are killed in the erection of new buildings than of the green helpers they employ from time to time.

Occasionally, however, an old-timer becomes careless, makes a misstep, falls and the mortuary record tells the rest.

THE PITCHER AND CATCHER IN ACTION.

Photograph by the Post-Dispatch.

PENCIL WAS SMUGGLED

Toledo Citizen With a Supersensative Conscience Remits a Penny to Uncle Sam.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—The "Conscience fund" at the treasury department was enriched today by the addition of 1 cent contributed by a citizen of Toledo, O.

This citizen of the Buckeye state recently purchased a lead pencil from a Canadian at Buffalo, paying 2 cents for it. He learned subsequently, "to his great humiliation" as he writes, that the Canadian had not paid the duty exacted by this government, amounting to 1 cent.

YOUNG WOMAN OFFERS $600,000

BESIDES REAL ESTATE

AND HER HEART TO A. L. CABANNE

Arthur Lee Cabanne of 4334 Westminster place, a popular young society man and college athlete, and soldier, who abandoned the luxurious environment of his wealthy father's home, to enter the employ of the Shickle, Harris & Howard Iron Co. at East St. Louis as third molder's helper in order to learn the secrets of the manufacture of steel, has attained much prominence in consequence of his voluntary change of station.

Mr. Cabanne informed the Post-Dispatch Monday that he had received 60 letters, some of which were proposals of marriage and others of a congratulatory character.

One young woman of Toronto, Canada, informed him that she had $600,000 in her own name and was ready to share her fortune and happiness with him. She claimed to have a villa in Los Angeles, Cal., and other realty besides bonds and cash aggregating $600,000.

Society women of New York, Chicago, Baltimore and other places have also written to him. Many of the names are familiar to the social world by reason of frequent publication in the metropolitan press.

Mr. Cabanne says he is not a fortune-hunter and is not in the matrimonial market. He says that he had not answered any of the letters.

A college woman of New York wrote him an eight page letter in which she expressed gratification at finding a man who was not ashamed to perform manual work even though he was wealthy.

Mr. Cabanne has now been with the Shickle, Harrison & Howard Iron Co. fourteen days, engaged in wheeling pig iron and silica and shoveling coal into eight roaring furnaces. He expects promotion to the position of second molder's helper next week. He is a son of J. Charless Cabanne, president of the St. Louis Dairy Co.

ECZEMA

Eczema sets the skin on fire. The acid poisons in the blood are forced out through the pores of the skin, causing intense redness, burning and itching. So terrible is the itching at times, especially when the body is overheated, that the almost distracted sufferer feels that he could tear the skin to pieces, and that he must scratch or go crazy. He knows from experience that this only makes matters worse, but, made desperate by the terrible burning and itching, he is for the time being indifferent to after effects. There are several forms of Eczema, the moist, or weeping kind, that comes in little pustules which discharge a watery, sticky fluid, which dries and peels off in bran-like scales. So profuse is the discharge at times that large scabs or crusts form, which are both painful and troublesome, and not easily removed. Red, disfiguring bumps and sores are symptoms of Eczema. The dry form usually attacks the head, hands and feet; the skin, becoming hard and rough, often cracking open and bleeding, and attended with much itching. Eczema depends upon a poisoned condition of the blood, and local applications, while soothing and cooling, and may to some extent relieve the inflammation and itching, cannot be considered cures, because external remedies do not reach constitutional or blood diseases. Salves, ointments, powders, lotions and soaps do more harm than good, by smearing over and sealing up the pores of the skin, thus forcing the poison back into the blood. S. S. S. antidotes and neutralizes the acid poisons and drives out of the circulation all impurities and humors, and the pure, rich blood that is carried to the diseased skin quickly allays the inflammation, opens the clogged up pores, and the skin becomes soft, smooth and ready to perform its proper functions. To be rid of Eczema you must first purify and build up the blood, and nothing so surely and effectually does this as S. S. S., the only guaranteed purely vegetable blood purifier. Send for our book on blood and skin diseases, and write our physicians for any information or advice you may desire. Medical advice and book free.

Mr. L. Marno, Escondido, San Diego County, Cal., writes: "My body broke out with a rash or eruption which in spite of all efforts to cure continued to get worse. The itching, especially at night, was simply terrible; it would almost disappear at times, only to return worse than ever. I had tried many highly recommended preparations without benefit, and hearing of S. S. S. determined to give it a fair trial, and was inexpressibly delighted when a few bottles cured me entirely, removing every blemish and pimple from my body. I shall not fail to recommend S. S. S. whenever an opportunity occurs.

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Galatea Cloths—Best English Goods, solid colors.....30c

Standard Patterns.

"The Designer," for July, is now ready. In addition to a valuable article written by H. L. Holcombe, entitled, "Safety in the Waters," it tells all about Bathing Suits for Misses, Women and Children.

Designer, 10c per copy. Patterns, 5c to 25c each

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OLIVE STREET, BROADWAY AND LOCUST STREET.

TRANSPORTATION IS THE PROBLEM

It Occupies Time of Fair Site Committee.

FULL INFORMATION IS WANTED

EXPOSITION WILL NOT HAVE DIRECTOR BUCHANAN'S SERVICES.

President Francis Suggests That St. Louis Manufacturers Furnish Louisiana Purchase Building at Buffalo.

The transportation problem continues to occupy the time of the World's Fair site committee, which will meet again at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Acting President Corwin H. Spencer said to the Post-Dispatch Wednesday morning that the railroad companies had been requested to furnish detailed information regarding the terminal facilities of the various sites.

Until this is supplied the site cannot be chosen.

The advocates of the North St. Louis sites, which are well supplied with railroad lines and terminal yards, have taken heart from the committee's dilemma over the transportation problem, and are preparing figures showing the ease with which thousands of cars can be delivered upon the grounds each day.

Facilities for delivering freight during the construction period would necessarily involve facilities for delivering passengers during the Fair.

A telegram from Buffalo states that Director-General W. I. Buchanan of the Pan-American Exposition will not be connected with the Louisiana Purchase Exposition in any capacity.

This is taken to mean that Mr. Buchanan has decided to accept the presidency of a New York bank or trust company, which has been offered to him, at a salary of $25,000 a year.

He has been invited to come to St. Louis after the site committee has finished its work, and look over the ground for the purpose of offering suggestions in connection with the plan and scope of the Fair.

Officials of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition say that, while Mr. Buchanan was not offered the director-generalship, it was desired to have him connected with the enterprise in some capacity, and negotiations were opened to that end.

The suggestion in a telegram from President Francis in New York that the furniture manufacturers of St. Louis donate the furniture for the Louisiana Purchase building at Buffalo will probably be taken up by the St. Louis Furniture Board of Trade. Grand Rapids furnished the Michigan building, and St. Louis, as a furniture manufacturing center, is second only to Grand Rapids.

The building will be dedicated July 2, when members of the board of directors will go to Buffalo.

In addition to hearing reports from nearly all the standing committees, the directors, at their meeting Tuesday afternoon, changed the by-laws so as to increase the committees on police, ceremonies and fish and fisheries from three to five members each. The committee on foreign relations was increased from five to seven members.

The next board meeting will be held June 25.

Secretary Stevens departed Tuesday night for Philadelphia, where he will represent the Exposition company at the Southern Industrial convention.

DEMANDS HIS DIVIDEND.

PITTSBURG, June 12.—In the United States Circuit Court a bill was filed against the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railway Co. by Francis T. White of New York. He states that he is the owner of 200 shares of 7 per cent special guaranteed stock of the par value of $100 and that on April 19, 1901, the directors of the company passed a resolution declaring a dividend of $2 a share on the original stock of the company. He asks that the directors be restrained from paying the dividend on the original stock unless the same dividend is paid on the special guaranteed stock.

SURGEON CONFESSES FRAUD.

Volunteer Army Officers Will Probably Receive Heavy Sentences.

MANILA, June 12.—At the court-martial of Capt. Michael Spellman, Lieut. Delbert R. Jones and Surgeon Dudley Welch of the Forty-third Volunteer Infantry, in southern Leyte, on the charge of trading in permits to shim hemp from closed ports, Surgeon Welch turned state's evidence and gave testimony incriminating Capt. Spellman and Lieut. Jones, who will probably receive terms of imprisonment. Welch, who appears to have been a tool of the others, has returned $1000, his share of the spoils, to the government. The evidence disclosed that the value of the hemp cleared from Maasin was about five hundred thousand dollars in the last six months.

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CREDIT MEN CONVENE.

Delegates Representing an Aggregate Capital of $1,500,000,000.

CLEVELAND, O., June 12.—Business men from all sections of the country, representing an aggregate capital of $1,500,000,000, were present today at the opening session of the annual convention of the National Association of Credit Men in this city. President John Field of Philadelphia presided. Mayor Johnson delivered an address welcoming the delegates to the city.

The reports of the officers of the organization showed that six new local credit organizations had been formed during the past year, making a total of 30 branches affiliated with the national association. The total membership at the present time is 3572.

FINDLAY UNDER BOND.

The Kansas City Young Man Who Made a Business of Forgery.

CHICAGO, June 12.—Melville Chester Findlay, who was arrested here Monday on numerous charges of forgery, waived the preliminary hearing today, and was held to the grandjury in bonds of $2400. Findlay is the son of a Kansas City business man, a graduate of Yale, and admits that he has had exceptional advantages in life, but he is said to have passed forged checks in nearly all the important cities of the country. It is alleged that in Bloomington, Ill., he secured $5000.

POLICE

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DEATHS.

RAY—At 3 a. m., June 12, Charles A. Ray, beloved husband of Lillie Ray (nee Lawler).

Funeral from residence, 1218 North Vandeventer avenue, Thursday, June 13, 3:30 p. m. Mexico (Mo.) and Paris (Ky.) papers please copy.

DEATHS.

KLEINMANN—On Monday, June 10, at 1:30 p. m., Wilhelmina L., beloved daughter of Marie Kleinmann, and mother of Matilda Kleinmann, departed this life, aged 53 years 9 months.

Funeral from family residence, 1306 South Ninth street, Thursday at 1:30 p. m.

LANINI—On June 11, at 2 a. m., John Lanini, dearly beloved husband of Mary Lanini, and father of George and John Lanini, Jr., aged 47 years.

Funeral from the family residence, 6226 Maple avenue, on Thursday, June 13, at 2 p. m., to Italian Church, Nineteenth and Morgan streets; thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

MANN—On June 11 at 3:45 a. m., Mary Mann (nee Reagan), beloved mother of Patrick, Mary, Agnes, Katie, William, John, Annie and Vergie Reagan, aged 42 years.

Funeral from the family residence, 3209 Park avenue, on Thursday, June 13, at 2 p. m., to St. Kevin's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

BYRNE—Annastasia Byrne (nee Somars), on Wednesday, June 12, 11 a. m., beloved wife of Lawrence Byrne.

Funeral Friday, June 14, at 2:30 p. m., from 810 Barry street, to St. Vincent's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

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SAYS IMMUNITY WAS PROMISED

Mrs. Press Says Fred Ziegenhein Accepted $18.50.

"TOLD NOT TO FEAR," SAID SHE

SHE WAS CHARGED WITH VIOLATING BUILDING ORDINANCE.

When She Was Again Arrested Ziegenhein Did Not Appear in Court and Mrs. Press Was Fined $105.

When the case of Mrs. Katherine Press of 4346 Manchester avenue, charged with a violation of the building ordinances, was reached in the Dayton Street Police Court Wednesday morning, Attorney W. H. Cocke, representing the defendant, asked that all the witnesses be called.

Deputy Marshal Kiely called the names of Building Commissioner Longfellow and a few others subpened by the city.

"I had a summons issued for Fred Ziegenhein," Mr. Cocke announced, "and I would like to know if he is in court."

A search was made through the court papers and it was found that the subpena had been served on the son and secretary of the former mayor by Deputy Marshal von Brunn. Thereupon, Mr. Kiely, who is a son of the chief of police, called: "Fred Ziegenhein, Fred Ziegenhein, come forward," but there was no response.

Mr. Cocke's reason for desiring the presence of the junior Ziegenhein in court was evident when Mrs. Press began her testimony.

"After I was in court before," Mrs. Press told Judge Wisilzenus, "I paid young Mr. Ziegenhein $18.50, and he told me I wouldn't be bothered any more. That was what surprised me when I got a summons again the other day."

After much arguing between the attorneys and the judge and much questioning of the witness, it developed that last November she had been summoned before Judge Sidener on a charge of using as a dwelling a frame structure which she had moved from the south side of Chouteau avenue, just east of Newstead, to 4348 Manchester avenue, on a petition signed by the necessary quota of property owners, which stated that she intended to use the structure as a horse stable.

Mrs. Press said her attorney failed to appear for her in court at the proper time and that she read in a newspaper that she had been fined $300. Later she appeared in court herself and was fined. She didn't remember the amount she was fined.

Thomas E. Mulvihill, special prosecutor, said he was prepared to prove that she had been fined only $5.

"After the court was over," said Mrs. Press, "somebody told me to see the mayor and see if he couldn't do something for me. I went to the mayor's office and Mayor Ziegenhein told me to see his son. I went outside into a big room and saw a young man sitting at a desk.

"I don't know his first name, but it was young Ziegenhein. He told me that for $18.50 it would be all right and that I wouldn't be bothered any more. 'If anybody bothers you,' he said, 'come and see me.' So I went home and didn't think any more about it until last week, when I got a summons to come to court again."

Judge Wisilzenus indicated that he might continue the case to give Fred Ziegenhein a chance to explain matters. The court said that the testimony of Mrs. Press placed the former city official in a disagreeable light.

Attorneys Mulvihill and Cocke both opposed the suggestion. Mr. Cocke, in particular, said he went to the trouble to have a subpena issued for the former mayor's secretary and that he had evidently disregarded it.

Mr. Cocke announced that his client would plead guilty to a technical violation of the ordinance. He explained that her guilt was due purely to her ignorance of the true status of affairs, growing out of her transaction at the mayor's office.

Judge Wisilzenus thereupon stated that he would impose the minimum fine, viz., on Mrs. Press on her promise not to violate the building ordinances in the future.

This amount was paid.

On a charge of "maintaining a wooden dwelling inside the city fire limits," Mrs. Press was fined $100.

On this fine a stay of execution was granted.

CLAIM THEY STOLE A MINE.

Important Suits Filed in Idaho by Patrick Clark.

MOSCOW, Idaho, June 12.—A sensational mining suit was filed in the United States Circuit Court here. It is a battle of the giants. On one side are pitted Patrick Clark, the noted mining man of Spokane, and a group of associates; on the other, Charles Sweeney, the well-known Spokane operator; F. R. Culbertson, another well-known Spokane mining man and two big corporations mining in Idaho and operating financially in New York City.

Clark and associates charge Sweeney and Culbertson with swindling them out of two mining claims in the Coeur d'Alenes, valued at millions of dollars. They sue for the recovery of these claims, for a receivership thereof, for an injunction restraining defendants from extracting ore from the disputed ground and for an accounting for ore already extracted, which is valued at about half a million. The allegation is made that Sweeney's company, the Buffalo Hump company, is virtually insolvent, and that Empire State-Idaho Co. has little property of value beyond the disputed ground.

The complaint is an intensely interesting story of alleged intrigue, falsehood and misrepresentation by which it is claimed the injured owners of the disputed ground were induced to part with property valued at $1,000,000 for a consideration of $4000.

The disputed claims adjoin the Tiger-Poorman mine at Burke, Idaho. Clark and the other complainants allege that Sweeney and Culbertson unlawfully explored the disputed ground by means of diamond drills, operated at a depth of 1000 feet; that they located a great ore chute, broke into it, extracted ore and paid dividends and then bought the claims for $4000 on the alleged false representation that the ground was good. The title of the bill is Patrick Clark, Benjamin C. Kingsbury, James Clark and James P. Harvey, compainants, vs. the Buffalo Hump Mining Co., a corporation organized under the laws of the state of New York, and the Empire State-Idaho Mining and Developing Co., a corporation organized under the laws of the state of New York, defendants.

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WOMEN CROWD THE ROOM AND BRING THEIR LUNCHES.

The Interest Shown by the Prisoner's Sex One of the Striking Features of the Kansas City Murder Trial

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 12.—This, the ninth day of the trial of Luiu Prince-Kennedy for the murder of her husband, Philip H. Kennedy, saw no abatement of interest in the case. The courtroom was crowded two hours before Judge Wofford appeared, dozens of women bringing their lunches, prepared to remain thrcugh the hour and a half noon recess.

The prisoner was even more cheerful than yesterday. She laughed and talked constantly with those about her, and occasionally prompted her attorneys to bring out a desired point.

The display of big hats and summer dresses continues. The women are the most eager attendants upon the trial. They stand at the doors and plead for admission. They grow angry when refused and claim the seats reserved for lawyers when they do gain entree to the place where one of their sex is having her life history laid bare and is being tried before the 12 men who have her future in their hands.

No matter how revolting the testimony may be, or what language is used, these women stick to their seats as though they had paid a fancy price for them and insisted upon getting their money's worth. This applies to girls who are in their "teents" as well as to women of mature years. Throughout the proceedings girls who are still of school age listen to every word that is spoken. The surroundings and influences of the courtroom and the trial are nothing less than demoralizing, but these young creatures drink it all in.

One woman, whose face has been seen there every day of the trial, said, boastfully, that she had been there at every session and that it was "great fun." That is just what a great many of the women are there for. They think it great fun to hear the mistakes of a young woman paraded before a greedy-eared crowd.

Judge Wofford has very little sympathy for the women who attend the trial so regularly. Yesterday, when several of them arose from their seats in order that they might look at Mrs. Kennedy, who was just then entering the courtroom, the judge ordered them to sit down, and he did it in a manner that indicated his disgust. The marshal was a little more emphatic in his demand for order, and the women, determined and brazen still, had to be content with the "rubbering" process which follows every move the defendant makes.

It is the state's contention that Mrs. Kennedy's actions between the time of her marriage and the time of the tragedy were not the acts of a person who was grieving over grave troubles. Mr. Hadley says that if the defense opens the way for this kind of testimony he will have about fifty witnesses in rebuttal, to show the specific acts of the young woman and to prove that she was having a good time rather than brooding over her wrongs.

The state wound its coils a little tighter around C. W. Prince and Will Prince yesterday, when it offered more evidence to show that the former was near the New Ridge building at the time of the killing and that he had made significant remarks about his daughter's troubles, and that Will Prince was with his sister at two places on the afternoon of the tragedy. There was evidence to the effect that Will Prince handed a handkerchief to his sister while they were standing at Eleventh and Park, but it was not shown whether or not there was anything in the handkerchief. The position of the state in regard to this matter is that the handkerchief contained a revolver.

The friendly relations of Mrs. Kennedy and Case Patten, the baseball player, were gone into further by the state. One witness saw them out riding several times, and another saw them walking. The state has more evidence along this line for rebuttal.

Today H. H. Allen, for whom the defendant had worked in the capacity of stenographer, told of Kennedy calling on her at his office frequently.

Other employes of Allen's office corroborated this testimony. C. F. Bernhardt, who had been present immediately after the murder, saw Will Prince scuffling with Thomas Kennedy, the dead man's brother, who had tried to disarm Mrs. Kennedy. A policeman attempted to arrest Prince, and she had said: "Let that man go; I did the shooting."

C. F. Woody, who had boarded at the Prince house, testified that Kennedy called on Miss Prince at numerous times last summer. He had seen her walking in front of Kennedy's office after the forced marriage, and she appeared careworn and worried.

Edward W. Lewis, a shipping clerk, began to tell of a conversation he had had with Kennedy after the latter's marriage, but its admission was objected to. A lengthy argument ensued.

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NEW YORK, June 12.—Three and one-half tons of dynamite are to be exploded under the narrows, between Fort Hamilton and Fort Wadsworth. The dynamite was used in torpedoes during the Spanish war as a defense to the harbor. After the war Maj. H. H. Adams of the engineer corps, instead of exploding the torpedoes extracted the charges and stored the dynamite. Maj. W. L. Marshall has advertised it for sale, but there have been no bids for it. Maj. Marshall has therefore decided to sink the dynamite in casks of 500 pounds each into the waters of the Narrows. Electric connections are to be made with the forts, and the dynamite will be exploded by the touch of a key. When Maj. Marshall sets off his 7200 pounds of dynamite Staten Island fishermen expect to get a wonderful catch.

FROM CHICAGO TO EUROPE.

Several Steamship Lines Will Probably Be Established.

MONTREAL, June 12.—Warren F. Purdy, manager of the Northwestern Steamship Co. of Chicago, who is in town, says that the company is satisfied with its venture in having ships ply directly between Chicago and Great Britain by way of the St. Lawrence route. There is $1,000,000 invested in the four steamers already running and two more are to be constructed immediately. Mr. Purdy says he is satisfied with the announcement of the Dominion government that there is 14 feet of clear water in the St. Lawrence canals is well founded, as on the voyage of the Northtown, which has just come through, he held the tape himself and found a minimum depth of more than 14 feet. Mr. Purdy predicts that other Chicago shipping firms will follow the lead set by his company and expects to see half a dozen different lines plying direct between Chicago and Europe. There is, in his opinion, an astonishing future before the St. Lawrence waterway.

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OLYMPIA, Wash., June 12.—When the special session of the Washington legislature convened in this city ten of the senators and 24 representatives were absent. The judiciary committee of each house held a joint meeting and agreed to recommend that the Rands law be repealed before it goes into effect, and one of similar intent but with a clause providing for the execution of criminals now under sentence be enacted. A short time afterward the Senate repealed the Rands law. The House will do the same today, after which the new bill will be introduced and pushed through.

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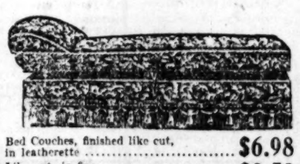

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ALLEGED BOGUS MARRIAGE

STORY OF MRS. IDA BOLLS, THE PRETTY COMPLAINANT.

If She Had Had Her Way a Bullet Would Have Ended Senator Bradley's Life and Stopped the Suit.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CANTON, Miss., June 12.—Dressed in a becoming summer costume, Mrs. Ida Bolls, told in court the story of her alleged wrong at the hands of State Senator R. L. Bradley.

Mrs. Bolls maintained that she is the victim of a mock marriage to Bradley, and that she is entitled to damages in a large sum for the injustice and humiliation that has been heaped upon her. Mrs. Bolls has many influential friends in the state. Soon after Bradley, who is a state senator and one of the leading politicians of the state, had been indicted for seduction of Mrs. Bolls under a fraudulent marriage, the latter walked into the hotel at Raymond, where Bradley, Judge Powell, the district attorney and others sat at the dinner, pulled a pistol from the folds of her dress and sent a bullet through Bradley's neck.

SENATOR R. L. BRADLEY.

She tried to shoot again, but was overpowered. Bradley soon recovered and returned to his seat in the senate. When the next court met he secured a change of venue to Madison County.

When the trial came on yesterday a motion was made to continue the case until the next term of court on the ground that several witnesses for the defense could not be found. The motion was overruled. The greater portion of the morning was consumed in securing a jury and other preliminaries. Owing to the nature of the case the courtroom was cleared of all persons except officers of the court, newspaper reporters and ministers of the gospel.

The first witness called was Mrs. Ida Bolls. She testified as follows: She had lived in the town of Bolton, Hinds County, Miss., for more than 15 years. She was guardian for the children of Mr. Alexander. The defendant, R. L. Bradley, as their attorney, frequently came to see her on business and finally induced her to consent to a secret marriage. She consented because he represented to her that he had promised his mother to remain single as long as she lived and he feared the consequences of breaking his promise to her. She married him on the 4th of March, 1898, in her home, at midnight, his brother, C. L. Bradley, being a witness. The person who performed the ceremony was an old man, representing himself as the minister of the Methodist Church at Natchez. Bradley lived with her for nearly a year as her husband, and visited her secretly twice a week. He sent her to New Orleans for medical treatment, where he afterward joined her. The lady with whom they boarded—Mrs. Albricht, took from Bradley's pocket while he was asleep the marriage license and gave it to witness. Becoming suspicious of the legality of the marriage, she called in friends and made the discovery that the license and marriage certificate were fraudulent.

Upon cross-examination she stated that she had been married twice and was 35 years of age. She was first married when 14 years of age to Mr. Overby, from whom she was divorced, and subsequently married J. B. Bolls, who died in 1895. Witness declared that she now considers herself in the eyes of God Mr. Bradley's wife.

Discovering that Mr. Bradley was visiting the daughter of Mr. Sharkey at Jackson, she informed that lady that he was her husband and after that Mr. Bradley repudiated her, denying the marriage.

The marriage license was introduced and identified by the witness. The name of the chancery clerk is signed to it and not the circuit clerk, who is the proper officer for issuing marriage licenses. The license bears evidence of having had erasures made and the name of H. L. Bradley and Ida Bolls inserted. A ring was introduced which Mrs. Bolls took from her finger upon which the name was engraved, from R. L. B. to I. L. B., which she stated was given her at her engagement.

Letters were exhibited addressed to Mrs. Bolls, signed by Bradley, addressing her as his wife.

She consented, she said, to medical treatment at New Orleans, "because she loved him."

Stella Alexander, neice of Mrs. Bolls, was introduced. She testified that she lived with her aunt after the death of her mother until two years ago.

One night she was awakened by three men entering the house late at night, and she recognized one as being Bradley; the other was unknown to her. Looking through the crack of the door, she saw them enter Mrs. Bolls' room and after remaining about half an hour the two men went away and Mr. Bradley remained all night with Mrs. Bolls.

Mattie Alexander remembered that three men entered the house, but saw none of them. George Jones, colored, saw three men enter Mrs. Bolls' room late at night. He recognized the voice of Bradley.

Mrs. Emma Birdsong, Mrs. Hardy, Ira E. Davis, Miss Nettie Davis, Em O'Connell and Mrs. D. M. Birdsong, all residents of Bolton, testified that previous to her relations with Bradley, Mrs. Bolls had a reputation for chastity and virtue.

The state at this point rested its case, and C. F. Klingman, witness for the defense, testified that Mrs. Bolls was not a virtuous woman prior to her alleged marriage to Bradley.

T. B. Davis testified that Mrs. Bolls' reputation for chastity was bad. He saw Mr. Bruce in the room with her in 1898. P. D. Davis and Maj. T. C. Pepper both testified to the bad reputation of Mrs. Bolls.

Senator Bradley's defense is a denial of the mock marriage and a declaration that the suit of Mrs. Bolls is an attempt at blackmail.

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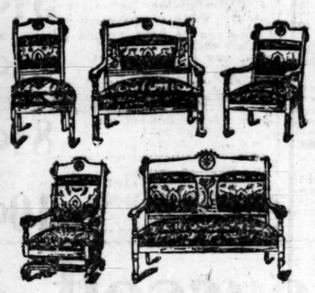

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Charles L. Baker Was Attacked and His Instruments Broken.

Charles L. Baker, a civil engineer, employed by the St. Louis and Belleville Traction Co., undertook Tuesday to do some surveying on the farm of Jacob Becherer for the proposed line from Edgemont to O'Fallon.

It was not agreeable to the Becherers to have surveyors' stakes stuck into their landscape, and Charles and Richard Becherer gathered as many pitchforks and hoe handles as they could find and made a reconnaissance in force.

When Mr. Baker's assistant saw them coming he left hastily. Baker considered that he had done no wrong and stood his ground. The Becherers got right down to business as soon as they were in striking distance. They swatted the surveyor with the hoe handles and tried to stick him with the pitchforks, he avers. When they had belabored him to their satisfaction they pulled up his stakes and took his instruments away from him, which they retained for the alleged damage to their crops.

Manager Bramlette of the traction company, through Attorney M. W. Borders, swore out warrants before Justice Wangelin against the Becherers. They were arrested Tuesday afternoon by Constable Lautz and taken to Belleville.

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TUTT'S Liver PILLS

TRANSIT CARS SMASH WAGONS

Three Accidents of This Character Occurred Wednesday and Two Men Were Painfully Hurt.

A wagon driven by Dietrick Mund, a farmer living near Oakville, St. Louis County, and loaded with strawberries, while at Broadway and Davis street at 1 o'clock Wednesday morning, was struck by a northbound Broadway car. It was damaged $100 and $50 worth of strawberries were scattered over the street.

Fred Bossi, 77 years old, and having one leg, of Main and Market streets, was struck by a Broadway car at Broadway and Lafayette avenue at 5:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. He received several cuts and bruises, which the doctor said were not serious, and he was sent to his home in an ambulance.

The wagon of Luke Erner, a peddler, while he was driving on Broadway, near Carr street, at 7 o'clock Wednesday morning, was struck by car No. 1703. It was damaged $25 and $15 worth of berries and potatoes were strewn over the street. The conductor and motorman declined to give their names to Erner.

Albert Fuestenfeld, 16 years old, of 7843 North Broadway was driving an ice wagon across the Broadway tracks at Adelaide avenue at 4:45 o'clock Wednesday morning when a Southern Electric express car collided with it. The car was going south and was heavily loaded with beer. Both of the mules that were drawing the ice wagon were so badly injured that they were killed. The estimated damage to the wagon and team is $350. Young Fuestenfeld received numerous scratches and bruises.

DOG WENT TO JAIL.

William Simpson's Faithful Pet Was a Good Witness.

When Officer Thomas Drury started to arrest William Simpson, a peddler, on St. Clair avenue, East St. Louis, Tuesday afternoon, Simpson's faithful dog jumped upon the officer and tried to prevent him.

Drury was impressed by the dog's loyalty and would not kill it. The animal followed the patrol wagon to the station, barking loudly all the way. Arriving there, it followed Simpson to his cell and whined so pitifully in front of the bars that it was finally admitted, at Simpson's request.

The dog spent the night with its head resting upon Simpson's body. It was given breakfast with the rest of the prisoners and when Simpson was arraigned for hearing before Magistrate Moritz Oehler, Wednesday, the dog stood with its front feet on the judge's bench and looked wistfully at him.

"Whose dog is that" asked the magistrate.

"It's mine, you honor," meekly replied Simpson.

"Well, a man who has that faithful a dog must have some good qualities in him. I'll make your fine only $5 for this reason," added Judge Oehler.

Simpson paid his fine and the dog licked his hand and followed him out of the courtroom.

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JEWELERS OBJECT TO ORDER.

They Say Advertising Clocks Are Conveniences and Not Obstructions.

Downtown jewelers who display large clocks above the sidewalk as signs are opposed to the mayor's order for the removal of street obstructions, which has been interpreted by the police to include their clocks.

An ordinance designed to authorize the placing of clocks over the sidewalks was sent to President Phillips of the Board of Public Improvements Wednesday by several jewelry dealers who have been notified to remove their "obstructions."

The ordinance is accompanied by a petition setting forth that the clocks are a public convenience and not a nuisance.

In the proposed ordinance it is stipulated that the clocks shall at all times be kept running. Keep correct city time, shall be supported on bases of standard metal not more than 12 inches in diameter, that their disks shall be not more than 5 feet in diameter and that they shall be at least 10 feet above the sidewalk.

For any violation of the terms of the ordinance the street commissioner may revoke the permit for the maintenance of the clocks.

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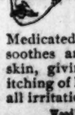

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TEN-YEAR-OLD BOY'S THEFT.

Stole a Gold Watch and Sold It for One Dollar.

Mrs. Alice Mitchell of 1728 Division avenue, East St. Louis, reported to the police two months ago that someone had stolen her $75 gold watch from its place of concealment in a folding bed.

Sergeant Thomas E. Walsh worked quietly on the case and finally concluded that the thief was Harry Sneeley, Mrs. Mitchell's 10-year-old nephew, who lived with her. The boy was put through a sweating process and he finally admitted having stolen the watch and sold it to a workman for $1.

It was traced to a pawnbroker's in St. Louis, where it was recovered Wednesday and returned to Mrs. Mitchell. On account of the boy's age she will not prosecute.

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TOTAL RAISE OF SALARY $51,948

Rejoicing Among St. Louis School Teachers.

BOARD VOTED UNANIMOUSLY

J. A. LONG SUCCEEDS MR. BRYAN AS SUPPLY COMMISSIONER.

George T. Murphy, Ben Blewett and Charles M. Foster Were Elected Assistants to Supt. Soldan at $3500 a Year.

The 1710 public school teachers of St. Louis are happy.

As predicted in the Post-Dispatch, the salary of each and every one of them was raised by the board of education at its meeting Tuesday night.

The total increase amounts to $51,948. Teachers who have received less than $1000 a year will have a 5-per-cent increase, beginning with the next school term.

Those between $1000 and $1500 were raised 4 per cent, and those over $1500, 3 per cent. The increase was voted unanimously by the board.

The other salaries fixed by the board were as follows: Building commissioner, $1000 increase; supply commissioner, $400 increase; attorney, $1000 decrease; assistant superintendents, $3500, no change; secretary, $3600, no change; auditor, $2000, no change.

John A. Long, the only candidate suggested for supply commissioner, was elected to succeed Mr. Bryan, who has held the position 16 years.

Charles P. Mason was elected auditor, receiving 9 votes to 3 for John O. Rolfe and none for T. P. Plumeridge.

C. L. Hammerstein was re-elected secretary and William J. Ittner was chosen to succeed himself as building commissioner.

Judge Rombauer Elected Attorney.

The contest for attorney of the board was between Judge R. E. Rombauer and F. N. Judson, the former receiving 8 votes and the latter 4.

Superintendant Soldan recommended the reappointment of George T. Murphy, Ben Blewett and Charles M. Foster as assistant superintendants for a term of two years, and the appointments were made.

Supt. Soldan also announced that he had appointed W. J. Stevens principal of the Pope school and Albert B. Lawyer principal of the Meramec school.

Secretary Hammerstein announced the appointment of George Blackmore as bailiff in his office, succeeding G. M. Baare, deceased.

The committee on school sites reported that it had three available sites in view near St. Louis and Burd avenues, the prices on which were $1000, $1600 and $700, respectively. No action was taken on the report.

Secretary R. M. Yost of the Missouri commission to the Pan-American Exposition, wrote, complimenting the board upon the excellent exhibit of the St. Louis schools.

The following resignations were announced:

Miss Stella M. Felton, principal Compton School; Henry W. Thayer, assistant High School; C. F. Baker, assistant High School; Mary S. Ittner, fourth assistant High School; Caroline L. Fitch, teacher domestic science, Shepard School; Hannah J. Skillman, head assistant, Madison School; Lizzie R. Williams, first assistant Grant School; Kate H. Haus, first assistant Shepard School; Mrs. Theresa Ricksen, second assistant Eliot School; Fannie Wachtel, second assistant Carroll School; Margaret R. Johnston, second assistant Carroll School; Alice T. Herthel, second assistant Blow School; Josephine E. Methudy second assistant Hodgen School; Esther Cordner, second assistant Chouteau School; Henrietta Marbes, formerly third assistant Hodgen School.

INVITATIONS ARE HAND-MADE.

Pupils of the Shaw School Prepare for the Close.

The children of the Shaw School have issued neatly designed hand-made invitations, adorned with pen and ink drawings, for their closing exercises Friday. They are written on white paper with an orange border. In the left-hand corner is a picture of a dove bearing a letter. In the right-hand corner is a drawing of an open book, one page bearing the words "Shaw School" and the other "June 14, 1901." The invitation is as follows:

"The children of Shaw School invite you most cordially to our closing exercises, consisting of music, recitations, calisthenics and a party. Come and help us have a good time."

DELMAR'S "BOHEMIAN GIRL."

It Proved a Strong Card on the First Real Hot Night This Season.

Hot weather, the first real hot weather of the season, drew crowds to the summer gardens last night. It was the biggest night of the season so far, and Delmar Garden seemed to be greatly sought. The especial attraction there is the Delmar Opera company in "The Bohemian Girl," which it is putting on in first-class shape.

The company is well cast, Helen Bertram as Arline being seen to better advantage than in anything she has been seen in in St. Louis for years. Harred Gordon, as Thaddeus, is acceptable, while Blanche Chapman makes a fine Gypsy queen. Fred Frear's Devilshoof is up-to-date.

The other attractions at the garden are now all open.

HEADLESS BODY IDENTIFIED.

Dead Woman Found Near Boston Is Wife of Mill Operative.

LOWELL, Mass., June 12.—The woman whose headless body was found in Chelmsford woods last Sunday and whose head was found yesterday was identified today as Mrs. Margaret Blondin of Boston. The identification was made by Mrs. Margaret Casey of Lawrence, sister of Mrs. Blondin. The dead woman married Mr. Blondin, a French Canadian mill operative, last February. It is not known where the man is at present.

Mrs. Blondin had been missing since April. Her maiden name was Riley. She met Blondin in Chelmsford, while working in a mill there, and their courtship covered only a few months. The couple lived in Boston for a time. About two months ago Mrs. Blondin returned to Lawrence. It was said that she and her husband had separated because Blondin wanted her to accompany him on a trip to Canada and she declined to go.

In April she came here and later went to Boston, where she rejoined her husband. Soon after Blondin said that she had gone to Canada. He disappeared shortly afterward. The authorities are trying to locate Blondin.

A Phenomenal Sale of White Waists and Cloth Dress Skirts.

$1.50 White Inserted Waists..... 50c
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LOT 2—In this lot you will find a big variety of swell White Waists; some are made with rows of inserting, some are made with lace and inserting on sailor collars, some are hemstitched and tucked. We have placed twelve tables on the floor with these waists on them, and have twenty-five extra girls to wait on you—Your Choice..... 98c

$3.50 White Waists for $1.48.

LOT 3—There are included in this lot some exquisite Waists in sailor collar effects, and all the new and pretty stylish waists that were out this season—all finest lawns and insertings. This is a rare lot and a good chance to get a fine waist cheap—Your Choice..... $1.48

Our Phenomenal Dress Skirt Sale.

We have decided to clean out the balance of our great Dress Skirt Stock, and offer you your choice of all the $4 and $5 all-lined Dress Skirts on Thursday at the ridiculous and unheard of price of.... $1.25

All the $6.50 and $7.50 all-wool Dress Skirts, in black and colors, some plain, some trimmed—all of the choicest that are left—we have decided to close them all out Thursday at..... $2.48

MANY WILL GRADUATE

KINDERGARTEN NORMAL TO CLOSE WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

FORTY-SIX WILL GET DIPLOMAS

Commencement Exercises, Consisting of Elaborate Program, Will Be Held in High School Auditorium.

The graduating exercises of the St. Louis Kindergarten Normal will be held at the High School Auditorium Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

The program will be as follows:

CLASS MOTTO:
"To keep my health:
To do my work:
To live:

To see to it I grow, and gain and give;
Never to look behind me for an hour
To wait in weakness, and to walk in power
But always fronting onward to the light,
Always and always facing toward the right."

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Principles of Froebel and Their Practical Application—
Pearl Sinclair Nicholson.
Recitation ..... A Beautiful Garden
Helen Grace Pearson.
A Spring Morning in the Kindergarten—
Hymn ..... God Is Good, He Cares for Me
Song ..... Good Morning to All
A Morning Talk—
Songs—Sunshine,
Rain Drops,
In the Heart of a Seed,
Song Birds are Flying.
Story ..... Giant Energy and Fairy Skill
Ball Songs.
Occupation ..... Folding Basket
Songs—Baskets,
Daisies.
March.
Games—Garden Bed,
Butterflies,
Birds,
Brook.
Presentation of Diplomas and Certificates—
Judge John A. Harrison
President Board of Education.
Song ..... Good Night

The graduates are Misses Martha P. Barron, Fannie P. Hobbs, Mary E. Bruce, Anna Esther Judd, Leah Brown, Pauline Kiem, Nellie Blanche Cannon, Amelia E. Leussler, Ame Lee Chiles, Jessie Margaret Maxon, Louisa M. Cowell, Louise MacArthur, Ellen Jane Durossi, Mary McClean, Julia Anna Ehrsom, Pearl Sinclair Nicholson, Catherine M. Fisher, Elizabeth Offutt, Margaret A. Gordon, Alice Louise Pilcher, Isabel L. Hull, Lillie L. Smith, Christine Wilcox, Elizabeth Walker Bacon, Emia Montgomery, Mary Gertrude Bitting, Susan Converse McClary, J. Esther Bribach, Clara McCluney, Emma Bollman, Helen Grace Fearson, Josephine Olive Burnett, Mary Elizabeth Phillips, Lulu Carradine, Clara Albert Rider, Matilda Bates Eno, Alice Kate Rule, Angie Louise Gilbert, Adella Stephan, Viola Margaret Hunt, Katherine Swift, Eleanor M. Kiley, Jessie Gay Van Cleve, Mimi Susan Lauffert, Maud Westerfield and Aurelia Williams.

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LOVE FINALLY TRIUMPHED.

Attorney Dinning and His Bride Disregarded Religious Differences.

Love laughed at parental objections when Louis F. Dinning, Jr., of De Soto, Mo., and Miss Florence L. E. Marriott of Sulphur Springs, Mo., were married Tuesday afternoon at St. Lawrence O'Toole's Catholic Church by Rev. Martin S. Brennan.

Mr. Dinning is a Catholic and his bride is a Protestant. They were engaged for a year before the wedding, but their marriage was opposed by their parents on account of their religious differences.

They concluded a week ago that they would not consider the objections any longer and the elopement was planned. Mr. and Mrs. Dinning returned to De Soto immediately after the wedding, where Mr. Dinning resumed his duties as prosecuting attorney of Jefferson County.

LAST CALL!

The shares of Stock in the TURNAGAIN ARM GOLD MINING COMPANY, which are now selling at 15 cents cash, 20 cents on time, will positively be advanced to 25 cents on Saturday, June 15th inst. Subscriptions accompanied by check, draft, money order, postal note, etc., dated and mailed on Saturday will be received at the old price. THIS COMPANY WILL PAY DIVIDENDS THIS FALL. Our hydraulics are now in position. Only a limited number of shares will be offered from now on. Don't delay.

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PROFESSOR WAS UNFAITHFUL

Daughter of Ambassador White Sues Her Husband, Formerly of Cornell, for Divorce.

SANDUSKY, O., June 12.—Suit for divorce alleging statutory grounds and desertion, has been brought by Mrs. Clara B. Newberry, daughter of Andrew D. White, ambassador to Germany. The defendant, her husband, is Prof. S. S. Newberry, president of the Diamond Portland Cement Co. of this city. Mr. Newberry was formerly professor of chemistry in Cornell University. He married the ambassador's daughter when Mr. White was president of Cornell, and the wedding was a memorable one in the social annals of Ithaca.

Mrs. Newberry charges her husband with unfaithfulness and mentions several names in this connection. The Newberrys lived in the most aristocratic section of Sandusky. They have two sons, the eldest being now with Ambassador White in Germany. The younger boy is with his mother. Mrs. Newberry separated from her husband after a stormy scene. She was granted a temporary restraining order enjoining the Moss National Bank of Sandusky from paying over any money pending the suit.

Mrs. Newberry is a beautiful woman and a social favorite.

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MRS. BOTHA A MYSTERY.

She Has Effectively Concealed Her Mission to London.

LONDON, June 12.—Peace in South Africa is still a cuckoo song, although the echoes come from many quarters. The most effective peacemaker is probably the discreet wife of the Boer commander-in-chief, who has concealed her work in London and baffled the most enterprising newsgatherers. While there is no authentic information, it is generally believed that she has delivered to Lord Milner, or to Mr. Chamberlain, some messages from Gen. Botha and other Boer leaders, and that Mr. Kruger has also been consulted.

South African rumors respecting an exchange of cable communications between the Boer leaders and Mr. Kruger are less credible. The surrender of a small commando at Pieteraburg is encouraging the optimists to hope that the end is close at hand, but the judgment of the more experienced South Africans is that the war will drag along for several months, and that the only result of premature peace negotiations will be the renewal of pro-Boer agitation in England.

WHY OUR ENGINES DISPLEASE.

They Are Built in America, but After Foreign Design.

NEW YORK, June 12.—"They have no real American locomotives abroad, strictly speaking, and the critics of the engines do not know what they are." So said A. M. Waitt, superintendent of motive power and rolling stock for the New York Central Railroad system. He was speaking of the cabled reports of the unfavorable criticisms passed by foreign railroad officials upon the American-made locomotives with which they have lately been experimenting.

"The locomotives they refer to," Mr. Waitt continued, "are American in make and truth, but they are English and foreign in dimensions, caliber and power. Owing to the restrictions made necessary by narrow and lower tunnels and other essential differences which characterize English roads as compared with ours—and the same is largely true, I understand, on the continent—it is simply impossible for them to utilize such a machine, as we now regard as a truly American locomotive. The result is they get a sort of hybrid affair built by American skill, but on foreign lines, and to meet foreign requirements, and then if it does not prove to be all they had hoped for they proceed to criticise the American locomotives."

Mr. Waitt went on to say that in England the practice is to nurse locomotives and let them grow old, while in this country the practice is to run them hard and use them to their fullest capacity.

Angus Sinclair, editor of Railway and Locomotive Engineering, years ago drove locomotives on the Caledonian Railroad in Scotland, being a Scotchman by birth. He visits Europe yearly and he has studied the subject of locomotives in every country there except Spain.

"Prejudice, prejudice," he said, when the subject of American locomotives was broached. "Two-thirds of it at least is simply prejudice. It is hard to get a British or a European engine driver to make a favorable report on a Yankee machine or a Yankee invention of any kind. But they will come to it, in spite of their prejudices. The American locomotive will win its way in Great Britain and Europe, that is certain."

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Edmond Rostand is making himself a candidate for a second term in the lunatic asylum. He is writing another play for Mme. Sarah Bernhardt and her "temperament."

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Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public, in and for the City of St. Louis, Mo., W. C. Steigers, Business Manager of the St. Louis POST-DISPATCH, who deposes and says that the regular editions of the St. Louis POST-DISPATCH for the first four months (January, February, March, April), 1901, after deducting all copies returned by newsboys and copies left over, spoiled in printing and unaccounted for, averaged 96,530 copies of the daily edition and 168,248 copies of the Sunday edition; and for the entire year 1900 averaged Sunday, 150,154; daily, 90,710. W. C. STEIGERS,
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FRANCHISE AND SCHOOL TAXES.

The practical importance of a just assessment of franchises in St. Louis is illustrated by the alternative presented between that and an increased levy for school purposes.

This was brought out at the hearing before the Board of Equalization Tuesday.

The question is, shall the home and real estate owners and the general business of the city go on paying on an assessment based upon 66 per cent of actual property, while the street railroad properties are assessed 30 or 35 per cent.

It is of very pressing, practical importance to the small home owner and man of limited means.

This is a question for the consideration of the Board of Equalization. The Post-Dispatch ventures to hope that a remedy which shall correct this inequality and do equal and exact justice to all will be speedily found. The task of the board is difficult and complicated, but the evil in St. Louis is so glaring that the way seems tolerably clear.

The St. Clair County, Ill., board of supervisors has decided to publish the names of all persons receiving aid from the county, thus humiliating those already in the depth of woe. The board needs a course of reading in Dickens, and should begin at once. It would discover that it is away behind the times.

OUR BIG, RED STRAWBERRIES.

Missouri's big, red, juicy and well-flavored strawberries have carried off the gold medals at Buffalo. In one exhibit, by the Monett Horticultural Society, 2592 baskets of this fruit were shown. All other states were eclipsed. The mouths of the judges watered when they got to the Missouri display. It was a case of "Seek no further."

So now we can justly boast of fame in two important fruits—the big, red apple and the big, red strawberry. Favored Missouri may be compared to the sunny slopes of Southern Italy, where, it is said, on the lava-made soil, the apple trees support grapevines, while the ground beneath and between is rich with waving wheat. With our apple trees overhead, our strawberries under foot, flanked by corn as phenomenal as that of Kansas in her good years, Missouri is a modern Eden without the serpent.

She will show this at our own World's Fair. She will publish it abroad that here is the Garden of the World.

Every mistake that has been made in great expositions can be avoided in the World's Fair of 1903, and the mistake of overbuilding in anticipation of World's Fair profits and World's Fair stimulus is one which we should be especially careful not to make. We must make our Exposition more successful than any other and at the same time benefit the city permanently.

THE PRESIDENT'S STATEMENT.

President McKinley's statement that he is not a candidate for a third time and would not accept a nomination were it tendered, not only puts a quietus on the third-term agitation, but is a merited rebuke to the feather-head politicians who have sought notoriety by bandying about the President's name in connection with a third-term nomination.

Mr. McKinley's statement is dignified and unequivocal. His reasons for noticing the third-term talk are sufficient. Undoubtedly it has a prejudicial influence on the public and tends to arouse suspicion of the President's motives.

There will be a general gratification over the announcement among sane and patriotic men of all parties. It assures a better administration and reassures the public mind.

The Canadians reduced their tariff on coal oil and the price went up. The duty on binder twine was cut in two and the price of binder twine arose Then binder twine was put on the free list and the price went up again. Fence-wire duty was reduced and farmers now complain of its increased cost It is marvelous that high tariff increases prices in the United States while low tariff and free trade increase them in Canada.

LOYAL TO ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis has produced the antithesis of William Walled-off Astor. One of her richest sons is little more than a youth. He is no accident of heredity. True, his father made a fortune which would have satisfied the average heir. But this young man was above the average. Within three years after his father's death he had more than doubled his inheritance. This was because he stayed at home and worked hard every day just as he did when he was only a salaried clerk.

There was no lack of allurements. He had a chance to live like a prince in New York, but he said: "I am a St. Louisan. My father made his money in St. Louis and St. Louis is a good enough place for me to live."

He still lives here and he is still making money. He is a model citizen.

Does he mark the turning of the tide? Too long St. Louis has been known as a place where genius found its best development and was least fitly rewarded. Men have left St. Louis by the score to carry the skein of greatness to the corners of the earth.

This remarkable young man has gathered the threads and is drawing them back. Will he succeed? The story of his career, his personality and his ambitions will be told in the next Sunday Post-Dispatch.

Busy factories, good collections and no recent failures are reported by the St. Louis Furniture Board of Trade. There will be wonders in furniture at the World's Fair.

PROGRESS IN STREET RAILWAY REFORM.

Superintendent Grant has taken an important step further on the line, suggested by the Post-Dispatch, toward the betterment of the St. Louis Transit Co.'s service and its relations with the public.

Mr. Grant says that he has warned the employes that they will be held to strict accountability for all accidents to which carelessness on their part contributes. It is true, as Mr. Grant says, that accidents are due in part to carelessness on the part of the public. But if the company's employes exercise due care the public cannot complain.

But the serious consequences of unavoidable accidents and accidents due to carelessness on the part of both employes and victims may be reduced to a minimum by life-saving equipment on the cars.

Mr. Grant says he has also instructed all employes that civility toward passengers will be required of them and that penalties will be inflicted for violations of the rule of courtesy.

There is an obligation on the part of the public both as to care and courtesy. All sincere efforts on the part of the company to avoid accidents and irritating friction should be met in good spirit by the public. Misunderstandings will arise and mistakes will occur. The rule of courtesy and forbearance should be mutual. The street car men are human and should be treated with consideration.

Progress is making in the reform of street railway traffic. The improved spirit of the railway management promises better service which will create a better spirit on the part of the public.

This is the last week of work at the St. Louis public schools. The term will wind up with feasts, flowers, picnics and fun. The St. Louis boys and girls believe in the good old maxim: "Work while you work, and play while you play."

ARE YOU A GENIUS OR A FOOL?

If you want to know whether you are a genius or a fool, just ask Prof. Carl E. Seashore of the University of Iowa. He will tell you.

Prof. Seashore has invented a cunning little machine, which he calls psychergograph. Since the reader knows Greek of course he knows what the psychergograph is.

It registers your thoughts. It measures your mental processes, and when a great idea comes to you the psychergograph will proclaim its advent. When you think, the psychergograph gives you away as the possessor of a great head. When you think you think, it just as surely advertises you as a self-deceived humbug.

This curious instrument consists of two parts. One looks like a typewriter, the other like a telegraph instrument. Besides there are several levers, keys, slots, pencils, tape lines, etc.

Seriously, Dr. Seashore says of his invention: "It is not a mind gauge which measures the whole mind, but the power to do certain kinds of mental work may be measured correctly by it, such as attention, discrimination, perception, sensation and voluntary action."

Oh Science, Science, what follies are committed in thy name!

Prof. Lynch of Mountain Grove Academy is a subscriber to 58 newspapers. He uses them in his classes and declares them to be the best instrument in the world for teaching current history and geography. Mountain Grove Academy is clearly an up-to-date school.

A crusade against unsanitary dairies, along with measures for the prevention of infectious diseases, has greatly decreased the death rate of New Orleans. Protection from impure milk should be made certain in all cities.

The decision of the Supreme Court of New Jersey that street railway franchises are taxable as real estate will add several millions to the revenues of the State. New Jersey is a thrifty commonwealth, with a fattening treasury.

Pension claims to the number of 43,874 have already been filed by Spanish-war heroes. The wars of the United States are the most expensive on record, leaving out indemnity statistics.

The Post-Dispatch has extended the free pass privilege to every man, woman and child in St. Louis. And it is not necessary to become a politician to take advantage of it, either.

Thousands of brains are at work for new ideas for the World's Fair. The great Exposition is in every way an incentive to mental exercise. It develops thinkers.

Abraham Lincoln should be freely quoted on the coming Fourth of July, but not in the colonies.

The Chicago judge who upholds strikes, boycotts and the blacklist seems determined to please everybody.

POST-DISPATCH SNAP SHOTS.

The big plow combine will put the farmers under the harrow.

And there are still places in Texas where it is dry 2000 feet below the surface.

According to Judge Zachritz's decision, the saloon keeper must not only put up but shut up.

The first shirtwaist man in New York drew a great crowd, but so did the man who carried the first umbrella.

Ohio men will have to learn Spanish and compete with the survivors of the late Aguinaldo's army, before taking office in the Philippines. This is very tough.

An advance of 20 per cent in the price of meat makes a new opportunity for the vegetarian orator, and possibly the horseflesh man will want to take some advantage of it.

During the coming public school vacation the St. Louis schoolboys who are in the Post-Dispatch Baseball League will have more fun than they ever had in all their lives before.

All the boys and girls of the St. Louis public schools have been wondering how they shall get the most fun out of the coming holidays. The Post-Dispatch Recreation Token Plan solves the problem for them.

When a big, juicy caterpillar gets down your neck at a picnic, or a nasty green bug flies into your eye as you go along the street, remember the appeals published in the Post-Dispatch to spare the birds which delight in eating these summer pests.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

G. E. K.—Yes, probably we are not acquainted with the details of the organization and rules governing executive action.

T. J. C.—A small sum, say 50 cents, is paid for Confederate bills in packages of 100 or so. You can't get anything for a single $5 bill.

CONSTANT READER.—The Post-Dispatch does not give professional or business addresses in this column. Your family physician will certainly advise you about a specialist.

C. G. S.—A square foot is the same as a foot square. But two square feet equal only two square feet. Two feet square is a square the sides of which are two feet long. The area is four square feet.

B. W. C.—The Post-Dispatch has made several attempts to ascertain the origin of the phrase, "I am from Missouri; you must show me," but without success. No one seems to know how it arose.

J. F. K.—Yes; there are as many as 10 reputed millionaires in the United States Senate. But the fact may not justify the reputation in all cases.

H. R. J.—The time required to fit one's self for the stage depends upon age, education and natural aptitude. If you have no aptitude don't think of it. Yes, bashfulness can be cured by training of any kind.

CONSTANT READER.—There are land offices at Boonville, Ironton and Springfield, Mo. Better write to Binger Hermann, commissioner-general, land office, Washington, D. C., and get instruction about application, etc.

A Sparrow Fight.

From the State Tribune, Jefferson City, Mo.

The fight lasted about 15 minutes, and both birds finally got to the ground in front of the Postal Telegraph office. Though it was fierce it was one-sided. They used the same tactics in fighting as the bull dog and held on like that fighting animal. One of the sparrows finally got the other one by the throat and dragged it to a puddle of water that was in the gutter near by. There it continued to duck its enemy with the rapidity of a ducking stool, until the under sparrow was nearly drowned. No noise was made except an occasional chirp from the one that was getting the worst of the fight. At last a break-away was effected, but neither could fly. The victor hopped into the Postal office, where it rested for a while and then flew away. The whipped bird hopped into the shade of the building, where it lingered awhile and died.

A DAILY MAGAZINE

THE GRATEFUL CATS.

—Meggendorfer Blatter.

THE VAUDEVILLE DIP.

"Daughter, perhaps if you take more time with your hair it wouldn't look so rough and baggy over your left eye."

"Time? Why, pa, it took me two solid hours to make it look that way."—Chicago Record-Herald.

THE HUMANE MAN.

Hast thou named all the birds without a gun?
Loved the wood-rose, and left it on its stalk?
At rich men's tables eaten bread and pulse?
Unarmed, faced danger with a heart of trust?
And loved so well a high behavior
In man or maid, that thou from speech refrained,
Nobility more nobly to repay?
O, be my friend, and teach me to be thine.
—Emerson.

A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY.

Doing is the great thing. For if, resolutely, people do what is right, in time they come to like doing it. RUSKIN.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

A woman wants her say, but a man wants his way.

A man can be friendly with all the world if he only keeps on speaking terms with his liver.

The average man doesn't need a soul to make a woman love him; all he needs is a swelled-head.

The girl that knows her business will never talk baby-talk to a man till after the wedding.

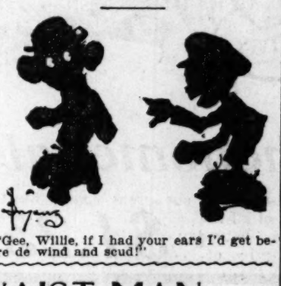
The average woman would rather have a fit when she is alone with her husband than to have her nose bleed when she is out somewhere calling on a woman that she doesn't know very well.—New York Press.

A DOUBTFUL CODE OF MORALS.

"I never take advantage of anybody who is not ready to take advantage of some one else," said the Wall street manipulator.

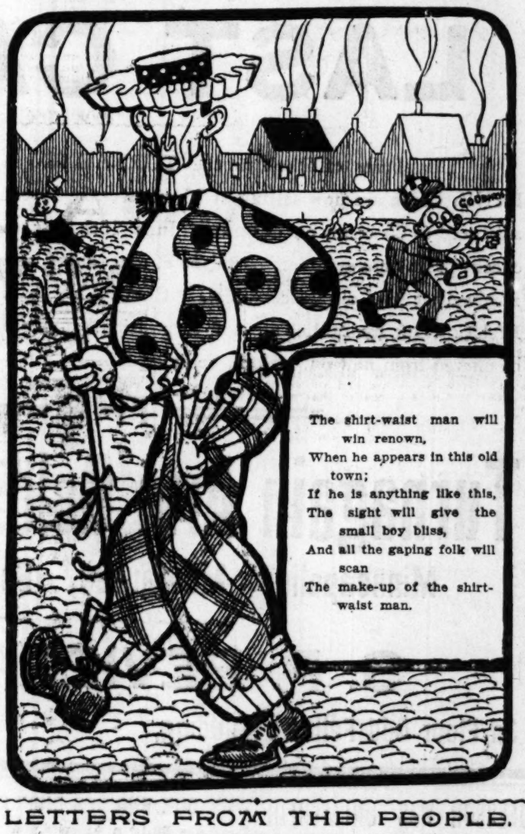
"Shake hands," said the stranger impulsively. "Those are my sentiments precisely. I'm a green goods man."—Washington Star.

RIGGED FOR SAILING.



"Gee, Willie, if I had your ears I'd get before de wind and scud!"

THE SHIRT-WAIST MAN.



LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

(This column is open to everybody who has a complaint to make, a grievance to ventilate, information to give or a subject of general interest to discuss, or a public service to acknowledge, and who can put the idea into less than 100 words. Letters from persons seeking employment cannot be given place in this column.)

People Are Careless.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Give the devil his due. While many of the street car accidents are caused by careless handling of cars, it is also a fact that a large majority of them result from carelessness of the persons who are injured or damaged.

Such accidents are bound to occur as long as parents allow their small children to play in the streets on the car tracks, and stupid and half-drunken drivers of vehicles are careless and drive in front of cars without taking the necessary caution to avoid an accident. While the grandjury are investigating they should consider and suggest some remedy that will prevent people from being so careless. There are always two sides to such questions and both sides should be protected. OBSERVER.
St. Louis.

New Name for the Midway.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Instead of using the trite, stale name of the "midway" in the World's Fair, I would respectfully suggest the name of "The Paseo" for that street or quarter. The term is new to most Americans, is up-to-date, easy to say, simple and appropriate. The name is taken from that of a well-known drive in one of our new possessions or Cuba (I think it's a Manila boulevard).
St. Louis. R. R.

The Herron Idea of Marriage.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Rev. Dr. Banks of New York, speaking of the marriage between Prof. George D. Herron and Miss Carrie Rand, uses this forceful language: "They took no vows. They simply announced that they were comrades. If the new apostolate should succeed it would bring man to the high ideal reached by the modern tramp (freedom from all conventional and social restraint). Prof. Herron, in so far as his theories (of marriage) are concerned, is undoubtedly a well-fed, well-groomed, acute specimen of the tramp."

Rev. Lyman Abbott, who has made an exhaustive study of the marriage relation in all its phases and effects, says of the family: "Upon its purity and permanence the purity and permance of the social order in all its forms depends."

In the North American Review of December, 1880, William Ewart Gladstone said: "The solidity and health of the social body depend upon the soundness of its unit. That unit is the family; and the hinge of the family is to be found in the great and profound institution of marriage."

Referring to the social corruption in Rome which culminated in regarding marrigae as purely a civil contract, Lecky, in his "History of European Morals," asserts: "There can be no doubt that under this system the obligations of marriage were treated with extreme levity. St. Jerome assures us there existed in Rome a wife who was married to her twenty-third husband, she herself being his twenty-first wife."

A beatific state of society, indeed! Under the Herron code and practice, how soon may we in republicanized, civilized and Christianized America come to the conditions described by St. Jerome?

Prof. Herron possesses redeeming characteristics, but he has committed a grave offense against modern social progress in returning to the Pagan's conception of marriage. WILLIAM EWING LOVE.
St. Louis.

Expansion.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Expansion is the great glory of some today. It may be their great grief tomorrow. Already it has cost us immensely in blood and treasure; but when the mind of an individual or a party is fully made up to do a certain thing, or to attempt a certain thing, they never take any warning or pause until their heads strike the solid wall.

When Rome began to expand unreasonably she began to die. History sometimes repeats itself. L.
St. Louis.

"Lincoln Park."

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In Saturday's issue of your paper you published a picture of a new park without a name, asking your readers to suggest a name. Allow me to suggest that the park be named Lincoln Park in honor of that grand old gentleman, A. Lincoln.
1307 North Eleventh. TIM CODY.

School Exercises in a Church.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Why are the graduating exercises of Duval School to be held in the Methodist Church, Glasgow and Dayton street? This is a step that is not satisfactory to some of our public school patrons.
St. Louis. A SUBSCRIBER.

For Nameless Park.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Merely a suggestion for "Nameless Park." Why can't we call it "Park Utana."
St. Louis READER.

POST-DISPATCH SERIES OF FAMOUS SHORT STORIES

THE WRECK AT ROUBIDEAU

By Cy Warman.

ROUBIDEAU BRIDGE was a long wooden structure spanning the Gunnison a few hundred yards to the east of Roubideau tunnel. Emerging from the tunnel, east bound, the engineer found a rail curving to the left, hugging the hill that hid the bridge from view until his engine was almost upon it. That was when the road was new. Now the hill has been cut away and the track straightened from the mouth of the tunnel to the bridge. One day in August, 1883, there came a cloud burst that flooded the western slope, as, old-timers said, it had not been flooded for years. The steep watershed, tipping toward the sunset, spilled the flood into the Cimarron and Uncompahgre, and they in turn poured it into the Gunnison until the stream was full to the bank tops.

And while this wild river went roaring down toward the cataracts of the Colorado, No. 8 came screaming up among the curves that wind away from the Utah Desert to that dark and dangerous crevice called the Black Canyon. Andy Degan, a "Q." man, who had come to Colorado with a good letter and one lung, had the first section of No. 8, an express, mail and baggage car, out of Grand Junction that night 40 minutes late. What the Mormon had lost climbing Soldier Summit Degan was expected to make up going down Cero Hill. Down there in the canyon he was striving only to lose no more time, for he was a new man running for a reputation Like all the old Burlington men, he was an expert driver, and took hazard cheerfully, realizing, it would seem, that he had, at best, only a few years to live. He had, at night, what was called a Rockaway engine, a high, short, compact locomotive, built for the kinks, so numerous in the first rough draft of the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad. The night was still and starlit, the earth was dry and the silvery river on his right rippled away over the rocks, clear as crystal. The Rockaway made easy work of the three light cars, steamed like the Sprudel Brunn at Carlsbad, and ran like a deer. When the fireman was not fooling around the furnace door he hung over the armrest and watched the world go by. Degan, gaunt-faced and silent, sat at the open window trying the water and whistling for curves. Uncle Sam's servant in the mail car was shuffling letters and newspapers. He had finished the Ouray bag, which he would leave at Montrose, the Crested Buttes and Ruby Camp bags to be dropped at Gunnison, and was now making up the Leadville pouch for Salida. Over in the express car the messenger, hung about with six-shooters and stretched upon a canvas cot billed to the agent at Saguache, was stealing a little sleep. Degan, being eastbound, had the right of way, and looked at his watch only occasionally to figure where No. 7 would meet him. His orders ran him 30 minutes late and made it the business of No. 7 to fix and make the passing point. The first section of No 8 was probably making 40 miles an hour when Degan whistled for Roubideau tunnel. A moment later it was swinging around the curve where the dark river lay in the shadow of the hill. While Degan, leaning out of his window, strained his eyes to get a glimpse of the bridge, the Rockaway turned sharply to the right and headed straight for the open river. Below the tunnel it had been a silvery, starlit stream; here it was a roaring river, running bankfull of black water. For an instant Degan thought the engine had left the truck, but feeling the rails still beneath her wheels, he realized a second later that the bridge was gone. The fireman saw the break in the track and leaped out of the cab as the engine plunged into the boiling flood. Degan, at the first scent of danger, closed the throttle and applied the air. As the engine dropped over the bank she turned on her side, releasing the patent coupling, and at the same time parting the air hose, applied the automatic pressure to the wheels of the three light cars so suddenly and so effectually that only the mail car tipped over and hung with her nose in the water. The mail agent climbed to the side door, and, with the help of the bleeding fireman, succeeded in escaping from the sloping car. When the postal clerk and fireman pounded on the door of the express car the messenger, waking suddenly, warned them if they attempted to enter the car he would shoot. The deafening roar of the river made it impossible to hear what he said, and when they began to heave great stones against the car door he made good his word; nor did he stop until a dozen 45-caliber bullets had crashed through the door and axles of the car. After waiting for some time the messenger concluded that the robbers had been frightnd away, and cautously peeped out.

"Well, you idiot," said the postal clerk from beneath the car, "are you out of ammunition?"

Degan lived a lifetime in the moment when the Rockaway was leaping into the flood. When the engine struck bottom, 20 feet from the surface, she began rolling over and over like a corncob in a flooded barnyard. The picture of his past life which had been suddenly flashed before his eyes now disappeared, and the engineer, hopeless as it may seem, found himself watching for an oportunity to slip out of the cab of the rolling engine. Now he felt the engine slam up against a big boulder in the bottom of the river, and at the same time his hands grasped a floating something. It was the fireman's wastebox, and the engineer, holding hard to it, was dragged out of the cab and carried to the surface. He had barely time to breathe when a floating drift swept over him, forcing him into the water again. He held to the wastebox, having a hand in one of the handles, and was soon brought to the breast of the river again. All this had occurred in a very brief space of time, but Degan was not a strong man, and the strain was beginning to tell on him. Once in a while, above the billows of the boiling flood, he got a glimpse of the low banks of the river running backward in the dim starlight. The roar was deafening. The river surged against the sands, the banks crumbled and great cottonwood trees that had stood there for half a century swayed to and fro, and finally fell into the roaring flood. At times the wastebox swung near the shore, edied back, and then shot down the middle of the river at a furious rate. Unless you have seen a mountain stream at flood you can form only a faint notion of the force and speed of the Gunnison running bank full. Great rocks of the size of a sleeping car are rolled along at the bottom of the river, as marbles are rolled by the stream of a garden hose, and here, at the door of death, Degan turned to look, and was awed by the awfulness of the wild scene. When first he found himself at the front of a fast express, timing the train with a touch of his hand, fixing the speed by the turn of a lever, he had marveled, as most men do, at the speed and power of the locomotive; but all that was mean and tame compared with the force of this fearful flood.

As Degan began feeling strong again and was watching a chance to pull for the shore, the leafy top of a falling tree caught him and dragged him below. Tangled among the boughs with his wastebox, the desperate driver fought with all his strength, and in a little while felt the wastebox bearing him up and on once more. He was now in a narrow, straight chute, at the lower end of which the river made a short bend to the left, and away from the railroad track. Degan saw the curve and hoped that he might be thrown upon the bank at the bend, and the next instant the box was driven hard against a huge rock and went to pieces.

When Degan regained consciousness he was lying full length upon the flat top of the rock against which his life-preserver had been wrecked. The gray dawn was upon the river, that was already settling back to its normal bed. His clothing was torn, his hands bleeding, his bones ached with the chill of the morning. One of his legs was broken, and the pain of it made him feel faint. The river was falling rapidly. If he could walk at all he could walk ashore without getting water in his trousers pocket. The sun came up and dried his overclothes and warmed the rock upon which he lay.

Presently he heard a locomotive screaming down the canyon, and when the curve round the curve he flagged her. Behind the engine was a wrecking train, coming up from the junction to find and fish the Rockaway out of the river.

The crew were greatly rejoiced to find Degan. They bore him tenderly to the waycar and carried him to the company's hospital at Salida, and there it was he told the story of the Roubideau wreck.

HOW TO MAKE LIFE WORTH LIVING

PostDispatch Readers Give Comfort and Advice to One "Disappointed in Love."

Get a Hobby.

To Disappointed in Love:

I have had your experience. I have loved and lost. I was for a time utterly crushed; had no appetite, did not care to live. Then a friend advised me to take up a hobby—raising flowers or pets or painting—anything to change my thoughts. I bought a camera. I soon became a picture fiend, bought every book I could find on that subject, sat up some nights until 1 o'clock finishing my work, soon became an expert photographer, joined amateur societies, threw my whole heart and soul into my work, never for a moment allowed my mind to dwell on past misery. Result, three years have now passed and although the wound has not quite healed and perhaps never will, yet with my beloved hobby I can say that I am fairly happy.
St. Louis. CAMERA FIEND.

Be Womanly

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

My advice to the one who signs herself "Disappointed in Love" is, be sensible, be womanly, thus proving that woman and weakness are not synonymous.

Has a species of love fallen into your life when even a thought of marriage could not be tolerated? If so why call it a disappointment or even a sorrow? Has it proved to be of the pure, uplifting kind? If this is the case why grieve over the inevitable?

A love that tends to ennoble us cannot fail to bring us happiness after that "nameless longing" has passed away. Be patient and happiness will be yours once more. ONE WHO KNOWS.
St. Louis.

A Sympathetic Sister.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I, too, have keenly suffered and undergone the sad blow such as you have experienced. Life to me seems all the more worthy of living after my experience. Why? Because love is only a delusion for the time being, for if it were not could we continually endure the pangs which at the time makes life almost unendurable? It soon passes away; that love, or, in other words, fascination, is really of short duration. Taking life as it is, there are many more worthy things to occupy our minds than to waste ourselves upon a man who has proven to be false.

Let not the common accidents of your existence cause you worry or agitation. Life is too short.
A WEBSTER GROVES DISAPPOINTED.

Better to Have Loved and Lost.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I would like to make a few remarks through your valuable paper on an article which I had the misfortune to read in last Sunday's Post-Dispatch and signed "Lorena Grove."

The article is a great injustice to men, but I don't believe there will be many to heed such advice as put forth by its writer.

Judging from the way her letter read, she believes every man to be nothing but a life-wrecking being, not fit for this earth.

The writer then goes on to say that "these girls who have been disappointed in love make me tired." Ah! one cannot realize how heavenly true love is unless they have experienced that sensation. The old adage: "'Tis better to have loved and lost, than never to have loved at all," will always remain true.

Miss Lorena evidently is either too young to understand love in its true light, or she has herself been disappointed and realizes that her chances for making a "catch" are slowly ebbing away. At any rate, it is dollars to doughnuts she will never have the arms of a loving husband entwined about her. She must be content with loving her St. Bernard dog, Maltese cat and her vial of spirits of camphor.
Grayville, Ill. A READER.

A FRUITFUL THEME.

I could write a million verses
Of the June-enjoyment kind,
For the Muse her store rehearses
With appreciative mind
And a soul of joy inclined,
And I'm sure her lot no worse is
Than a million more you'll find
Snailing 'round
Here and there,
Sailing 'round
Through the air,
And though very slim her purse is,
She is never far behind
Trailing 'round,
On the square.

I could write for weeks together
Of the weather, good or ill,
Minding not a moment whether
Winds were high or low or still,
In the vale or on the hill,
For my fancy has no tether,
And it worketh when it will,
Writing rhymes
If it care,
On this clime's
Balmy air,
Spouting every kind of weather,
Praising Jack as well as Jill,
Scorning Time's
Wear and tear.

Those secrets are best kept that are still undiscovered.

Be sure you've got the other fellow right, and then go ahead.

The mosquito seems to be a breeder of nearly everything but contempt.

It is not the heaviest butter whose cake is dough

Lost Vigor

Quickly Restored Free—Insures Love and a Happy Home to Every Man.

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JOHN BROWN'S FAME.

Probably no man in American history, save presidents and conquering generals, is more widely known than John Brown of Ossawatomie, of whom Edmund Clarence Stedman wrote a memorable ballad, and to whom Ralph Waldo Emerson referred as "a sublime fatanic;" Brown of the phenomenal fight at Harper's Ferry, Brown of the Charlestown scaffold, Brown of the Civil war song:

John Brown's body lies a-moldering in the grave,
But his soul is marching on.

Yet a St. Louisan tells me that last week he encountered a man of more than middle age, a citizen of a state that has furnished two Presidents, a vice-president, a commander-in-chief in the field and many other notables, who never heard of John Brown.

A newspaper dispatch conveyed the erroneous information that William A. Martin, the only surviving juror of the John Brown trial, was living in a little town in Illinois. The St. Louisan, having occasion to visit that town, and being a John Brown enthusiast, determined to call upon Juror Martin and talk over the famous trial. He stopped at the village hostelry and after dinner made inquiries as to the location of Mr. Martin's house.

"Is he a young man?" asked the landlord.

"Oh! no," was the reply; "he must be 70 or 80, for he was on the jury that convicted John Brown at Charlestown, Va., in 1859."

"Ah!" remarked the wife of the landlord, "I guess you're here to see about getting him a pension?"

The landlord quickly "called down" his better half by saying to her:

"Now, you don't know; maybe Brown wasn't guilty."

To the St. Louisan he said: "Fact is, I'm a little hazy on the case. Don't believe I'm familiar with it. What was Mr. Brown tried for?"

(Curtain.)

SONGS OF THE BUSH.

I'm a bold and bad bushwhacker,
And I have my little whack;
With a plug of black tobacker
And a pound or two of tack,
I can tackle half an army,
For I just eliminate
Those who try to take or harm me—
It's a way they have I hate.

With a pistol in my breeches
And a rifle on my back
I career o'er dunes and ditches,
Oh, I shoot and shout and sack!
For I have a way about me
That the other fellows hate,
And whene'er they think to rout me,
Why, I just eliminate.

SAM HILDEBRAND'S WAY.

While discussing the Youngers and the Jameses, it is just as well to remember that they were not the only dangerous men in the dugout. There were others, along in the '60s. Missouri woods were full of men who could hit a bull's eye or a human target 10 times out of 10. Only a few of them, however, kept on shooting long enough after the war to ensure lasting reputations.

Passing through Pinckneyville, Ill., a few days ago, I was reminded of the fact that in that town, in 1877, perished Sam Hildebrand, the Big river bushwhacker, the

most noted of the southeast Missouri fighters during the war and after.

Sam was a character. In his day he killed more than a hundred men. He used to carry a rifle which he called "Old Kill-Devil," because, as he said, he had killed so many devils with it. Sam also carried a pocketknife with which he would cut a notch in the stock of "Old Kill-Devil" every time he killed a man with the gun. When he lost the weapon in Big river, St. Francois County, during a hot-foot escape from a troop of Federal cavalry toward the close of the war, there were 87 notches in the stock.

But it must not be imagined that these 87 notches include Sam Hildebrand's entire output. He also carried a pistol or two of generous size, and at close range, dashing through Federal camps which he had surprised, or closing in upon private enemies whom he had sworn to slay, he frequently used the pistols. As it is a well-known fact down in southeast Missouri that Sam never missed, it may be taken for granted that he added quite a cosy number of homicides to his record by means of the pistols.

Sam Hildebrand was about as picturesque a bushwhacker as ever picked off a farmer at long range or cut a throat. He was absolutely illiterate and knew no more of the real merits of the war than a raccoon knows of Christian Science. But when a company of Federal Home Guards burned his mother's homestead over her head, shot to death his little brother as he rode away down the high road, and then went to a lead mine where Bonne Terre is now located, called an older brother out of a shaft and shot him, Sam collected himself and a few chosen spirits in a cave on Big river and vowed vengeance in realistic dime novel style. Sam, however, meant it. He swore he would kill every man in the Home Guards. In order to further his design and make his killings legal, so far as war is legal, he joined the army.

During the war Sam very nearly carried out his threat. Sam killed most of the Home Guards, and, incidentally, many others. The others happened to come in his way, trying to collect the rewards offered by the state and national governments for Sam, dead or alive, and he was brought to the painful necessity of eliminating them. After awhile Sam got so that he delighted in the process of elimination and would rather eliminate than eat.

But when the war was over Sam Hildebrand's vengeance was satiated. He concluded to let the remaining Home Guards live if they would let him live, possibly on the theory that the extra men he had killed were sufficient to make up for the few Home Guards that had escaped him.

The rewards, however, were still offered. Sam went back to his family and began putting in a crop of corn. He was attacked and compelled to take to the woods. For 11 years he was chased by soldiers, private and public detectives and individual citizens who thought to win a little reward on the side, but, until he thoughtlessly imbibed too much liquor in Pinckneyville one night, he was immune.

Hildebrand, like Jesse James, was reported dead many times. He always showed up—until after the Pinckneyville incident. Sam was in a saloon. A man insulted him and he forgot his incog.

"Do you know who you're talking too?" indignantly demanded the former eliminator.

"No, and I don't give a —— copper cent."

"I'm Sam Hildebrand."

This admission was unwise, for the stranger immediately plunged a knife into him; and, after the body was brought back to Missouri and identified, he tried to collect the reward.

Sam Hildebrand was one of the Missouri war characters who should not be left out when the book of blood—the volume of vengeance—is sent to press.

TWO DASHES.

"Here's a little thing I have just dashed off"—
The Poet began;
But the Editor Man
With one fell blow
Did lay him low.

Then the Editor Man his burden bore
Around to the undertaker's store;
And he said, said he,
In his fiendish glee:
"Here's a little thing I have just dashed off!"

THE WRONG TRAIN.

In one of the St. Louis clubhouses the story is breathed softly. It would be perilous to life and limb to tell it aloud. The victim is pugnacious and forbids it. But it is a fairly good story, nevertheless.

He lives in a suburban town and goes home by steam railroad every evening. Late one evening last week he left a "stag" party and went to Union Station to catch his train for home. He got aboard at 10 o'clock and immediately fell fast asleep.

It is nothing unusual for the young man to fall asleep on the train. The conductors and brakemen all know him. They awaken him at his home station.

But this particular night he slept quite soundly. When he got off the train he felt as if he had overslept. But his latest recollection was of having started to board a train about 4 o'clock in the afternoon. This was before he met the "stags." Therefore, he was not surprised to see that it was broad daylight.

The street on which he found himself was strangely unfamiliar. He had thought that he knew St. Louis and its suburbs well, but here was a locality that puzzled him.

"St. Louis is a big city, though," he remarked to himself. "Still, it's funny that I don't know where I am. I'll ask that policeman.

The policeman told the young man that he did not propose to be made a guy of for any yap who thought himself smart.

"I just asked you a civil question," said the young man. "I just asked you the way to the corner of Olive street and Jefferson avenue."

"Yes, and you know there's no such streets in this town," replied the offended copper.

"Look here," said the St. Louisan. "How long have you been on the force? I'll have to ask my friend Harry Hawes if he is in the habit of putting on men who don't know the streets of St. Louis."

"What's St. Louis got to do with it, young man?" retorted the policeman. "You're in Kansas City now, and if you don't get a move on you I'll run you in for a lunatic."

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Deaf Mutes to Wed.—George McConnell of 5233 Bulwer avenue and Miss Reila G. Jackson of 6301 Bartmer avenue, deaf mutes, obtained a marriage license Tuesday. All conversation between the license clerk and the contracting parties was carried on in writing. After receiving the state's permission to wed the couple departed, signifying their intention of becoming one as soon as possible.

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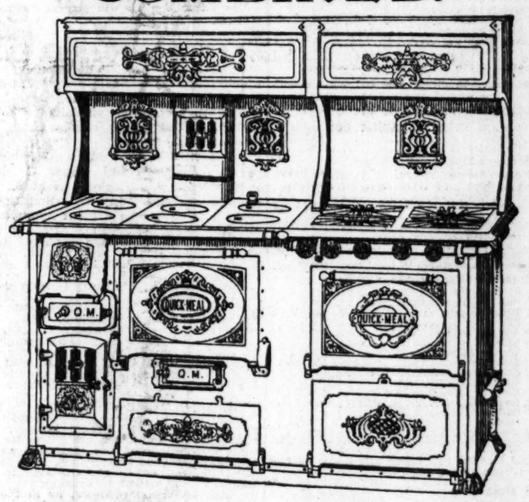

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CURRENT BASEBALL COMMENT.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Prior to Wednesday's Games.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	19	14	.576
Pittsburg	23	17	.575
Cincinnati	20	17	.541
Brooklyn	20	18	.526
Philadelphia	20	19	.513
St. Louis	19	20	.487
Boston	14	18	.438
Chicago	15	27	.357

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	27	14	.659
Detroit	24	16	.600
Washington	19	14	.576
Boston	18	16	.529
Baltimore	16	17	.485
Philadelphia	17	21	.447
Milwaukee	14	25	.359
Cleveland	13	25	.342

Tuesday's Results.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Philadelphia, 8; St. Louis, 1.
Pittsburg, 4; New York, 0.
Boston, 8; Cincinnati, 0.
Brooklyn, 5; Chicago, 5.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Cleveland, 8; Baltimore, 5.
Detroit, 4; Philadelphia, 1.
Washington, 3; Chicago, 1.
Boston, 8; Milwaukee, 4.

Wednesday's Schedule.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Philadelphia at St. Louis.
Brooklyn at Chicago.
Boston at Cincinnati.
New York at Pittsburg.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Milwaukee at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Baltimore.
Detroit at Boston.
Cleveland at Washington.

Three thousand fans were pleasantly surprised at the article of ball furnished them at League Park Tuesday afternoon. Three thousand fans were incidentally disappointed to see the tribe of Delehanty carry off the game.

The faithful were not looking for a pitchers' battle between Sudhoff and Donahue. While local rooters have the utmost respect for the twirling talents of the blond St. Louisan, they did not expect a Harper-Mathewson-Hahn display from him. But Willie went in and pitched a better game than the New York phenom did at Pittsburg or the Cincinnati German did on his own ashpile. For seven innings he allowed the sluggers from Slumberville but three little hits. One of them was immediately preceded by a gift and netted a lucky run. Two additional safe ones came in the last two innings. The final pair were harmless, but the pair in the awful eighth comprised a terrific four-base swat by Capt. Del right on the heels of Roy Thomas' single. As the Donovanites gathered together during the entire nine innings the sum total of one run, this trio of tallies was sufficient to let victory perch on the Philadelphia bandwagon.

"Small William" pitched good enough ball to win several ordinary games. But he was up against a surprising proposition Tuesday in Frank Donahue. Donahue once had something of a reputation hereabouts as a box performer. But since he drifted with "Klondike Bill" Douglas and others to Quakerdom the fans have heard not so much about his firing-line cleverness. In fact, some of them had come to class him in the "has-been" set. As the Cardinals had trounced Collegian White on Monday, the rooters figured that they would put the red-crowned ex-St. Louisan out of business in a few innings. But when the game was over he was still in business and seemed to be prospering. Not until the ninth did our own contingent chase a man over the pan. In almost every assay at the plate St. Louis got a runner on the cushions, but the necessary bingle to drive him o'er the rubber was ne'er forthcoming.

The finish was exciting. St. Louis strove vigorously to acquire its fifth straight, but at the crucial moment Umpire Cunningham, who had been lenient to the Quakers throughout, gave them a little extra help and the hopes of the faithful were dragged in the mud. Wallace, first up, singled. So did Kruger. Ryan forced the German. Then Nichols, batting for Sudhoff, stepped up. With one strike and three balls, Donohue pitched a wide one. Nichols started for the bag, but Cunningham yelled "strike." That put a crimp in the red-legged rally. If the catcher had been given what was coming to him the bases would have been filled, with only one out. As it was, Nichols forced Ryan, Wallace scoring on the play, and then Burkett poked a fly at Roy Thomas.

George Davis, the New York leader, is a wise man as well as a high-class shortstop. He admitted while in St. Louis that he expected the Pirates to give his crowd a rub for top-notch honors. The rub has "came." By taking two straights from the Freedmanites, Fred Clarke's team (always including our own Jack O'Connor) has come within one point of tying the Giants for first place.

The same teams meet again Wednesday afternoon, and if the Davis aggregation does not corral this game they will have a mighty difficult time getting back into the proud position they have held for several weeks.

Even more astonishing than the dual defeat of New York at Pittsburg was the second consecutive victory of Boston over Cincinnati Tuesday. Selee's performers, who played like a lot of farm hands in St. Louis, knocked the sensational "Noodles" Hahn off the rubber in two innings Tuesday.

Brooklyn has taken a brace and by winning their last three games the Hanlonites have climbed to fourth place, pushing the Phillies into division No. 2. The Donovanites take on the Brooklyns after finishing with their present guests. They are scheduled to play in St. Louis Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Buelow seems to have proved a hoodoo to the Giants. When Sammy Strang was playing third and Mr. Nelson was covering second the team won regularly. When the team came west, Buelow, who had been in the hospital, reappeared, Strang was sent to second, Nelson was left at home and Buelow stationed at sack No. 3. Since then Mathewson does not seem able to win. Now Manager Davis has benched the little third baseman, sent Strang back to third and stationed Suboutfielder Bernard at second.

Jack Powell will oppose the Quakers in the box Wednesday afternoon. Orth or young Townsend will twirl for Philadelphia. The game will be called at 3:45 o'clock. Secretary Hellbroner announces that hereafter all week-day games will be called at that hour in response to requests from many of the patrons, who say that 3:30 is too early for them to reach the park conveniently.

LEASES TRAC KFOR TEN YEARS.

California Jockey Club Renews Its Hold on Emeryville.

OAKLAND, Cal., June 12.—The California Jockey Club has renewed its lease on the Emeryville race track for 10 years, with an option to extend the lease seven years longer if desired.

The lease is from Mrs. Margaret Mee of San Francisco to President Thomas H. Williams and Secretary R. B. Milroy.

It is agreed that a monthly rental of $500 shall be paid in advance. It is further stipulated that the California Jockey Club may assign the property to the Mercantile Trust Co., to raise $400,000 with which to pay the San Francisco Jockey Club for the Ingleside and Tanforan tracks. The purchase price was $690,000.

In the event of racing being prohibited by the state Legislature it is agreed that the California Jockey Club may conduct on the premises any other forms of amusement it may see fit. The buildings are to be insured at between $60,000 and $80,000.

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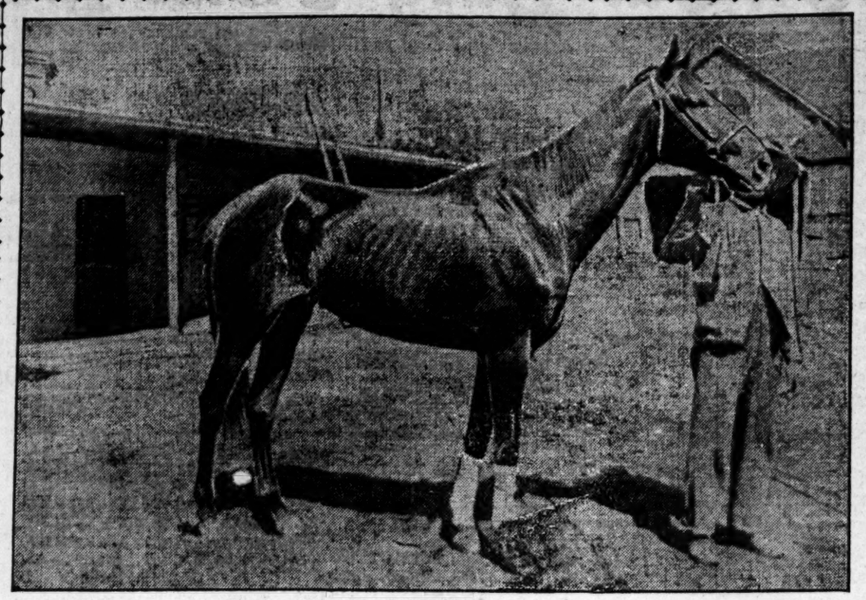

SARNER.

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HOTTENTOT WILL TRY HIS RIVAL, PROPELLER, AND HIS RACING LUCK WEDNESDAY

Winner of the Club Members' Handicap Is on the Card Against Two Strong Ones, Including Chappaqua.

SELECTIONS.

First Race—Julietta B., Around Again, Fourth Ward.

Second Race—Kid McCoy, Ice, Hardly.

Third Race—Frank Bell, Maude Gonne, Hilee.

Fourth Race—Propeller, Chappaqua, Hottentot.

Fifth Race—Horseshoe Tobacco, Hungarian, Ida Carbrey.

Sixth Race—Clay Poynter, Kisme, Eda Riley.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

FAIR GROUNDS, June 12.—The changes in the condition of the track from fast to slow and from heavy to sticky during the past four days, have upset the calculations of the handicappers.

Saturday the dopesters figured the horses for a fast track. It commenced raining in the morning and continued all day. As a result, the selections made in the morning were of little account, as the fast track horses were given the preference.

Sunday night the handicappers thought that the hot sun of Sunday and Monday morning would dry out the track enough to make it lumpy. They were surprised when they reached the track to find it heavy and sticky. It was the kind of going only big, strong horses could negotiate and they were overlooked altogether by the makers of form.

The track Tuesday was the most uncertain of all. It was lumpy and cuppy. To pick winners in going of this kind is like finding needles in a haystack.

To make it more difficult for the handicapper, the poorest horses at the track were entered in the six races. Such animals never run two races alike, so it is a rather difficult task landing on them when they run their best races.

The handicapper should get back into form now as the track is fast and Dr. Hyatt says that rain is far away. However, the extreme heat is liable to upset calculations. Old stiff-legged nags that can't run a mile in 1:50 when the weather is cool will thaw out under the hot sun and reel off the circuit close to record time. There is always something to make the game uncertain.

Two Good Races Are on the Bills.

With the exception of two races the card offered for today is a very poor one. Dogs hold forth in the first, second, fifth and sixth races.

Just why Mr. Maginn, the maker of the program, is so friendly to the canines is not known, except that he spent much of his time among them in the days of the Sportsman's Park merry-go-round. He invariably manages to give the beagles chances to win several of the purses.

The game here is so inviting that seven new hounds will make their appearance in the first contest and allow Judge Brady to glance over them. It is said that Judge Brady is gaining such wide experience here that the St. Louis Kennel Club will make him an offer to officiate at its show after the racing season is at an end.

Mr. Rose is tired of the jumping races and had decided to return to the flat. He is one of a field of 15 that will give Starter Bruen trouble in his initial effort.

It is useless to glance into the dopebook in an effort to pick the winner. A better scheme would be to shut your eyes and stick a pin in the entry sheet. The horse whose name comes in contact with the point of the pin will be the lucky one.

As hard as it appears to be, we will make an effort to select the winner. Julietta B has run a couple of fair races and is in at a nice weight. If she can hold her form at all she ought to beat Around Again, although the latter will prove troublesome. Fourth Ward used to be a pretty fair sort of a skate. Dan Honig made several killings with that nag. If he is any account at all now he ought to be in the money.

Another field of the cheapest sort of platers will go to the post in the second race, which is a selling affair at one mile. Kid McCoy's only start was a good one, but it was on a heavy track. If his legs are sound he ought to win on his last race.

Wednesday's Fair Grounds Entries.

First race, selling, seven furlongs:

Naughty Girl	104
Irving Mayor	96
Around Again	106
Mace Russell	104
Mr. Rose	107
Julietta B.	91
Fourth Ward	106
Dominis	108
Sweet Robin	104
Clinton B.	110
Gale Todd	105
Thornwild	105
Clara M.	102
Wine and Song	96
Boulvard	107

Second race, selling, one mile:

Nick Lahart	104
Klondike Queen	106
Kid McCoy	107
Lake Foney	106
Celeste d'Or	106
Silent Friend	104
Fan Charm	111
Nance O'Neil	102
Ella Martin II.	102
Kaftan	102
Mandamus	102
Crossmolina	106
Ice	104
Chickamauga	107
Hardly	106

Third race, handicap, six furlongs:

Myrtle Van	92
Hi-Noc-Ker	102
Frank Bell	109
Nan Dora	83
Dr. Nowlin	100
Hilee	103
Maud Gonne	115

Fourth race, handicap, one and one-sixteenth miles:

Macon	93
Chappaqua	106
Propeller	90
Chopin	95
Hottentot	112

Fifth race, selling, seven furlongs:

Elsie Barnes	104
Col. Gay	109
Ida Carbrey	94
Deponan	104
Hungarian	109
Ben Boy	109
Doralice	104
Alea	94
Mrs. Grannan	91
Horseshoe Tobacco	109

Sixth race, selling, one mile:

C. F. Jones	108
Clay Poynter	108
Belle Simpson	102
Eda Riley	102
Admiral Schley	107
Tidal Wave	108
Warren Point	108
Sadie Levy	106
Jim Breeze	104
Kisme	104
Croesus	108
Don Luis	108
Orris	102
Caribou	104
Rushfields	108

Ice and Hardly will make him know he has been to the races.

Good Starters in the Third.

The betters will have much trouble selecting a choice in the third race, as some of the very best sprinters at the track will meet in a six-furlong handicap. Mr. Maginn has weighted the horses so well that he has brought them together on almost even terms.

It looks like it is asking too much of Maude Gonne to pack 115 pounds and beat such clever sprinters as Frank Bell, Hilee and Hi-Noc-Ker.

Hilu would prefer a longer route. His race with Duellist showed this. Frank Bell, whose sprinting abilities are known throughout the West, is in at a nice weight and with an even break in racing luck he should win. Hi-Koc-Ker is also in good and he will be knocking at the door when the finish is made.

Another choice field will sport silk in the fourth event. Five horses, including Hottenten, the winner of the Club Members' Handicap, will compete in the handicap, which is at one and one-sixteenth miles.

The talent will no doubt select Chappaqua to deliver the goods, as his recent races have been good.

While Chappaqua looks like he is in a nice spot he will not get the purse until he gets through beating Propeller. This youngster is much improved, and is in with a feather on his back. Kit Chinn and his party will play him to win, and it will be no surprise if they were lined up behind the bookmakers' boxes after the race.

Horseshoe Tobacco is in with a very bad lot in the fifth race, and if his underpinning remains good on the hard track he will annex the purse. He will have most to fear from Hungarian, a newcomer, and Ida Carbrey.

Clay Pointer and Kisme will fight it out for the sixth race. Rushfields will have many admirers, but he doesn't like the hard track any too well.

MARRIED MEN VS. SINGLE.

Unique Ball Game by Members of Marquette Dramatic Club.

The married men and the single men of the Marquette Dramatic Club will play a game of baseball for a purse of $50, raised by the club. The line-up is as follows: Married men—P. Althen cf, P. Bernhard rf, C. Hess p, R. Heinger 1b, L. Glickert ss, A. Merkel 2b, L. Nicklaus 3b, J. Schwegel c, L. Seitz lf; single men—A. Chenot 1b, E. Meyer 2b, F. Fromm 3b, J. Goetz ss, W. Thomann p, J. Luffer c, G. Hilzer rf, H. Roetger lf, C. Berg cf.

Water Polo Team Will Play.

The Western Rowing Club Water Polo team will play their first exhibition game at Benton Park Swimming School Thursday evening, June 13. Play begins at 8:30 p. m. Lineup: Gus Forge, Albert Forge, Tax Hartmann, Henry Abaker, Gus Hansen, Eugene W. Ziegenhein, John C. Meyers, Henry Ziegler.

SHERWOODS WERE VICTORIOUS.

Defeated the Eastons in the Only Cocked-Hat Match Held Tuesday Night.

The Sherwoods and the Eastons were the contestants in the only cocked-hat match of Tuesday evening, the former team winning the odd game.

The Sherwoods started with a rush, and took three straight. Having cinched the match, they let up in their bowling and allowed their opponents to take the remaining two contests.

Ducker of the winners did the best work of the series, averaging an even 50. Teams—Sherwoods, 43 12-25; Eastons, 41 13-25.

Standing of the clubs in the Cote Brilliante tournament:

	Won.	Lost.
Cote Brilliantes	12	8
Eastons	10	10
Enterprises	9	11
Sherwoods	9	11

TWO GAMES SATURDAY

POST - DISPATCH PAROCHIAL LEAGUE FINALS UNDER WAY.

ACTIVITY IN BOTH LEAGUES

Preliminaries for Public School Finals Will Be Played Off Rapidly, Commencing Early Next Week.

SATURDAY'S SCHEDULES IN POST-DISPATCH LEAGUES.

PAROCHIAL SCHOOL LEAGUE.

Holy Name vs. Visitation.
St. Leo vs. St. Rose.

PUBLIC SCHOOL LEAGUE.

Irving vs. Dozier.

POSTPONED.

Monroe vs. Sherman.
Lincoln vs. Madison.

Wednesday afternoon the Visitation and the St. Rose teams will play at Pastime Park.

Captains of Parochial League teams which play in the finals are requested to report to Mr. Breen of the league committee, to receive instructions as to the grounds on which the championship contests are to be played.

It is desired to have these take place on the St. Louis University campus, Handlan's Park, Grand and Laclede avenues. The grounds are excellently kept and the arrangement should be a great improvement over the corner lot system.

Saturday two games will be played in this league and captains will report to Mr. Breen to decide which team shall play in the morning.

A full report of all championship games in both leagues will be made in the future. All teams will be compelled to submit a list of players and the lineup, with substitutes, will have to be adhered to for the remainder of the season. Photographs of all the teams will be taken and the men can be identified from these, so that any charge of "ringerism" can be readily run down with the assistance of the school principal.

If possible it is desired to use the High School ball grounds for championship games in the Public School League. The High School committee has given its consent to the use of the diamond, and as soon as postponed games have been played off a meeting of all the captains in this league will be called to arrange for morning and afternoon contests, as in the Parochial League.

Only five teams will be in the finals and only two games a day can be played. This will admit of the use of one grounds for all of the battles.

The public schools close Friday and each day next week an endeavor will be made to play two games, in order to have the closing schedule completed by June 22. In this case, the winners, instead of the mere leaders in the leagues, can compete in the Hibernian games, June 23.

Watch the Post-Dispatch, boys. There will be plenty of league news during the race for the medals.

SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY BRIEFLY TOLD.

Dute Cabanne wants another chance for the Mermod shooting trophy, and has challenged Dr. J. W. Smith to shoot under the conditions governing contests for that trophy.

Garry Hermann has been withdrawn from the American Derby. The owner of the horse, S. S. Brown, states that his horse is in bad condition, and will be out of it for three months.

McGovern is through fighting for the next four months. Sam Harris, manager of the doughty "pug," says he thinks his protege has earned a vacation.

The basket ball game between the High School girls' team and the Webster Groves High School five will be contested Saturday at the old Pastime gymnasium.

St. Louis University and Christian Brothers' College baseball teams will battle for the second time Saturday probably at Handlan Park.

FIFTEEN MILLION GROCERY.

Charleston, W. Va., People Incorporate an Immense Business.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., June 12.—The Bear Grocery Co., with an authorized capital of $15,000,000, was issued articles of incorporation today. The company is to manufacture and to carry on a large wholesale grocery business and to manufacture, pack and ship goods in any domestic or foreign trade.

The incorporators reside in the city of Wheeling, namely:

Col. Morris Horkheimer, Julius Horkheimer and Benjamin S. Bear. Morris Horkheimer was a member of ex-Gov. Atkinson's staff during his administration. The new company is building an eight-story building in Wheeling, W. Va., where it will conduct business.

AMATEUR BASEBALL NOTES.

The Thistles would like a game in the 12-year-old class for Saturday, June 22. Address J. Davis, 1805 North Garrison avenue.

The Little Browns were defeated for the first time this season by the Little Coffeys. The score was 23 to 15. The feature of the game was Lloyd Musgrove of the Little Browns getting two home runs and a triple. The Little Browns play in the 8 and 9-year-old class. Address all challenges to Albert Huggett, 828 South Fourteenth street.

The Missouri Pacific Juniors will cross bats with the Wabash Juniors Saturday, June 15, for the championship of the railroad junior baseball teams. The game will be played at Forest Park and any other railroad juniors baseball team who have a claim on that title will please challenge the winner. The Missouri Pacific Juniors will line up as follows: A. Burgdorff c, E. O. Rourke p, J. Madison 1b, Louis Hartwein 2b, J. Campbell ss, F. McHale 3b, O. Grossman, F. Kelly and O. Westerman fielders. They can be heard from at Seventh and Poplar streets, care J. Madison, auditor's office.

The Bohanigans have a game with the Lacledes for June 16. The Bohanigans line up as follows: E. Murphy, N. Hartwig, V. Svannell, W. Devoy, R. Lake, D. Stark, C. Stuart, A. Merton.

The Mullanphys defeated the Howards by a score of 1 to 0 at Forest Park. The feature of the game was the pitching and batting of Tom King.

The Rice-Stix Baseball Club have organized for the season with the following players: Creecy ss, Rader 2b, Shaughnessy 3b, M. Schneider 1b, Butler lf, Landwehr cf, Schneider rf, Shipper c, Bondi p. They would like to hear from teams in the 15-year-old class. Address all challenges to Max Bondi, care Rice-Stix Dry Goods Co., department H. They would like to have a game for Saturday afternoon, June 15.

The St. Louis Juniors made a fine showing Sunday, June 9, with their new suits. They defeated a picked team by a score of 26 to 1. The feature of the game was the good work of D. McCarty at first base. For games address Capt. J. Madden, 1524 North Ninth street.

The Tammanys defeated the John J. Gockles Sunday by a score of 27 to 5. They would like to arrange games with all clubs in or out of the city. Address D. J. Porter, 2939 Madison street.

The Handlar & Kasels Baseball Club will journey to Clifton Terrace Sunday, June 16. They will play that team on the Clifton Terrace grounds Sunday, June 23 they play the Kirkwood Sluggers at Kirkwood. They have yet to lose a game, having won four out of four. They have an open date for June 30. Address challenges to A. H. Kasel, 1101 Cass avenue.

The secretary of the Y. M. C. A. League announces that the games between teams Nos. 1 and 4 and 3 and 5, which were postponed on account of the rain last Saturday, will be played on Saturday, June 29, and Saturday, July 6, respectively. Teams Nos. 4 and 6 are scheduled to play at 2 p. m., Saturday, June 15, on the association's grounds in Forest Park, and at 4 p. m. teams Nos. 2 and 3 will cross bats on the same grounds.

A meeting of the committee in charge of the big cocked-hat tournament recently ended met Tuesday night, and distributed prizes. The advisability of forming a central governing board was discussed and was favorably voted on. Steps will be taken shortly toward the establishment of one.

The Mullanphys have organized for the season with the following players: Matin Fenney 1b, Jerry Dolan c, Lou Hill p, John Holliday 2b, Mike Ago 3b, J. McLaughlin ss, Jim Blake cf, Christ Kaiser rf, H. Fieldcamp lf. Address all challenges to Martin Fenney, Laclede Gas Light Co.

The Ewings would like to hear from all teams in the 16-year-old class. Address all games to Edwin Fruhs, 2827 Bernard street.

The M. A. C.'s have signed T. Bentley, E. Barrett and E. O'Harar. They want games from all out-of-town clubs. Address F. Meyers, captain, 517 La Salle street.

La Prelle Williams defeated the Gratiot Arlows Sunday afternoon. Score:

Innings—	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
La Prelles	2	1	2	1	7	0	4	—17
Arlows	3	0	1	2	1	2	0	—15

Address challenges to Gus Denney, 2508 N. Taylor avenue.

The St. Louis Letter Carriers defeated the Manchester Stars at Manchester, Mo., Sunday, by the score of 13 to 7. Carroll and Schulze, battery for the Letter Carriers, were in charge of the game, Carroll being hit for only five safe hits.

The Carters defeated the Blue Buds Sunday morning by the score of 6 to 3. The Carters would like to arrange a game with either the Buffaloes, Barleys or Sunnybrooks for next Sunday. Address James Byrne, 4126 Lexington avenue.

The aHnan & Bakers defeated the Quick Meals Sunday afternoon at Dover place by a score of 28 to 2. The features of the game were the pitching of Tab Sommers and the stickwork of the H. & Bs. They would like to arrange games with clubs out of town. Address W. F. Geier, 610 Olive street.

The Eight Bells would like to hear from all teams in the 15 and 16-year-old class. They line up as follows: J. White rf, T. Harrison 2b, J. Hall ss, C. Johnson cf, H. Watson 3b, J. Hart lf, J. Smith p, J. Cushenburry 1b. They have an open date for June 23 and 30 and July 4. They prefer to hear from the Evans Blues, St. Louis Juniors, Spaulding Juniors, Jefferson Club Juniors, South End Juniors and the Lacledes. They will cross bats with the Hill street team Sunday at Forest Park. Address all challenges to John Cushenberry, 1613 Market street.

The I. X. Ls. defeated the Barleys by a score of 10 to 8 and would like to hear from all clubs in the 18-year-old class, Helm Brewery Baseball Club preferred. Address all games to John Lolder, 2209 South Tenth street.

The St. Louis Commission Merchants defeated the St. Louis Eads at Pastime Park Sunday afternoon by a score of 7 to 1. Heffernan's good work in the box and Thomas' great batting were the features of the game.

The Evans Blues Club defeated the Western Club Sunday afternoon by a score of 17 to 4. The feature of the game was the pitching of Lee O'Connell, who struck out 15 men. For games address Roy Eggelston, 4106 Page boulevard.

The Delmar Club would like to hear from a good pitcher in the 18-year-old class. Address R. Hantzset, Sunlight Shoe Co., Eighth and Marion streets.

The Wabash Athletic Club would like to arrange games for Sunday morning and afternoon. They play in the 17-year-old class. Address J. Bauer, 2111 South Ninth street.

MRS. COOK BOUND OVER.

SALEM, Ill., June 12.—Mrs. Mary Cook has been held for the September Circuit Court at her preliminary hearing. The charge against the woman is an assault with intent to kill on her own daughter, Jessie Murer, and a boarder at her home named Charles Nehls, on May 26.

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TOOK AN OATH OF VENGEANCE

Widow of Slain Moonshiner Swore to Rear Her Boys to Avenge Their Father.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MIDDLESBORO, Ky., June 12.—The widow of Andrew Cox, the mountaineer moonshiner, killed at Corbin, took a solemn oath today while her husband's body was being lowered into the grave, to rear her boys for the single purpose of wiping out the Wilder and Branham families.

If the woman keeps her word, and it is feared she will, it means that a feud will be started that may endure for several generations.

The funerals of Deputy Sheriff Will Branham and Chief of Police Silas Wilder, who were shot to death by the mountaineer, also took place today. Branham killed Cox, after he had been mortally wounded by the moonshiner. The families of the three dead men have numerous kinsmen and the feeling is bitter and deep on all sides.

ALABAMA'S GOVERNOR DEAD.

After a Long Illness, Gov. Samford Passed Away at Tuscaloosa.

TUSCALOOSA, Ala., June 12.—After an extended illness, due to heart disease, William J. Samford, governor of Alabama, died here last night.

Gov. Samford has been in Tuscaloosa several weeks, having gone there to attend a meeting of the trustees of the State University. He had been ill since before his inauguration as governor, but it was believed that immediate danger of death was passed. While in Tuscaloosa, however, his illness returned with renewed violence and he became so dangerously sick that the physicians feared to remove him to Montgomery.

Gov. Samford was 54 years of age and was a native of Alabama. He had served in the State Senate and in Congress, was a member of the constitutional convention of 1875 and had held other important public offices. He was elected governor in August of last year and was inaugurated Dec. 1 last. Hon. W. D. Jelks, president of the State Senate, will succeed him as governor.

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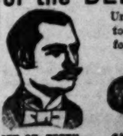

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WHEAT, ON BEARISH NEWS, SUFFERS FURTHER LOSSES.

CORN FUTURES ALSO WEAK

Following the Decline in Wheat Crop Positions, Corn and Oats Futures Also Declined.

Favorable crop reports from important sections the wheat belt caused an easier tone in the wheat market.

Corn and oats futures in sympathy with the decline in the fine grain, sold lower.

Wheat and flour clearances today were 381,000 bu, corn 242,856 bu and oats 62,128 bu.

July wheat closed ½c down for the day and Sept. unchanged from the previous closing price. July corn closed ⅝c below the previous close and Sept. ⅝c down for the day. July oats closed ⅛@¼c down and Sept. ⅛@⅜c down.

An unexpectedly strong opening in the Liverpool market caused a higher range in American wheat markets in the early part of today's session. Liverpool closed ¼d higher than the previous closing price.

Good rains throughout the Northwest and in Kansas and Nebraska proved a very bearish item, and after early gains heavy profit taking set in. Frightened longs and confident bears sold the July future off to before a rally occurred.

Receipts of wheat at St. Louis today were 20,800 bu, compared with 17,738 bu the corresponding day last year. Of these, 15 cars were local, compared with 217 sacks and 23 cars the corresponding day last year.

July wheat opened ¼c up at 67⅜c, and then, without a check, sold down to 66⅝c, making a new low point for this future. At 66⅝c a rally set in, there was scattered short covering and the July future advanced to 66¾c and then fell to 66⅝c.

September opened ⅜c advance at 68¼c, and then sold 68⅜c, 68⅝@68¾c, 68⅜c, 68¼c, 68¼@68¾c, 68¼c, 68c, 67½@68c, 67⅝c, 67⅝c, and again at 67⅝c.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth today were 287 cars as compared with 484 cars same date last year.

Receipts of wheat at primary points today were 859,146 bu, as compared with 655,000 bu same date last year.

Shipments, 382,507 bu, compared with 160,000 bu same date last year.

Corn Follows Wheat Down.

At the opening 41¾c was bid for July corn, but none sold at that figure, and later wheat growing very heavy, corn crop positions were offered down in sympathy.

July corn sold at 40⅞c, 40¾c, 40¾@40⅝c and again at 40⅜c.

Sept., after 42¼c had been bid, sold at 42¼c.

Receipts of corn at St. Louis today were 28,800 bu, compared with 77,005 bu the corresponding day last year. Of these 9 cars were local, compared with 478 sacks and 50 cars the corresponding day last year.

Liverpool closed ¼d down for corn.

Receipts of corn at primary points today were 557,100 bu, as compared with 878,000 bu same date last year.

Shipments, 844,382 bu, compared with 402,000 bu same date last year.

Oats Crop Positions Heavy.

Oats futures were heavy and until late in the day little trading was done.

July was offered at 27¼c, but no sales were recorded. September sold at 26¼c, 26c and at 25⅞c.

Receipts of oats at St. Louis today were 16,800 bu, compared with the same amount the corresponding day last year. Of these 9 cars were local, compared with 14 cars the corresponding day last year.

Early Cotton Market Strong.

An advance of 2 to 6 points in the Liverpool cotton market was responsible for a steady opening in the New York market this morning.

At New York July opened 1 point down, Aug. unchanged, Sept., Oct. and Nov. unchanged and Dec. 2 points below the previous closing price.

After initial changes there was some heavy short covering and a sharp advance resulted.

Stocks of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

	Today.	Yest'day	Year ago
Wheat	291,978	299,439	231,831
Corn	319,693	328,288	81,259
Oats	80,804	80,809	35,160
Rye	1,017	1,017	2,687
No. 2 red wheat	216,489	217,489	69,856
No. 2 hard	32,411	34,145	13,105
No. 2 mixed corn	251,639	249,558	44,163
No. 2 white	26,012	24,452	1,490
No. 2 mixed oats	77,581	79,029	35,783
No. 2 rye	1,017	1,017	1,294

Sample Market Prices.

	Today.	Yesterday.	Year Ago.
WHEAT.			
No. 2 red	72 @72½	72¾@73	75
No. 3 red	70 @72	69 @71½	71 @74
No. 4 red	65 @70	60 @68	68 @70
No. 2 hard	70½@71	70½@71½	67½@70
No. 3 hard	66 @70	70 @70½	66 @67
CORN.			
No. 2 mixed	41¾	42 @42¼	39½
No. 2 white	43¼@43½	43¾@43¾	41½
No. 3 mixed	41¼@41½	41¾@42	
No. 3 white	42½@43	42¾	
No. 2 yellow	42 @42¼	42½	40½
No. 3 yellow	41½@41¾		
OATS.			
No. 2 mixed	29	29	24 @24½
No. 2 northern	29 @29¼	29 @29¼	24½@24¾
No. 2 white	31 @31½	31 @31½	
No. 3 white	30 @30½	30¼@30½	25¾@25¾
No. 4 white	29¼	29¼	24½@25¼
No. 3 mixed	29	28½	23¾
No. 4 mixed	28	28	23

Export Movements of Grain.

PLACE.	Wheat. Rec.	Wheat. Ship.	Corn. Rec.	Corn. Ship.
New York	23,050	85,200	161,000	2,000
Baltimore	38,218		143,432	200,450
Phila.	51,604	16,800	99,937	81,356
Boston	40,630		28,000	
Galveston	17,000	90,000		

Export Flour Movement.

PLACE.	Receipts. Barrels.	Receipts. Sacks.	Shipments. Barrels.	Shipments. Sacks.
New York	8,740	14,210	5,107	9,706
Baltimore	26,800		6,749	
Phila.			750	
Boston	6,700			31,281
N'port News				18,784

Western Movements of Grain.

PLACE.	Wheat. Rec.	Wheat. Ship.	Corn. Rec.	Corn. Ship.
St. Louis	20,800	7,373	28,800	84,020
Chicago	163,975	7,300	434,200	673,901
Toledo	20,162	3,650	55,058	22,000
Detroit	2,000	1,697	4,000	
Kan. City	36,000	50,400	11,200	10,400
Milwaukee	24,000	3,180	5,400	3,350
Minneapolis	208,170	21,250	6,880	920
Duluth	84,039	288,057	11,962	49,291

Western Flour Movement.

	Receipts.	Shipments
St. Louis	3,055	6,300
Chicago	20,550	13,158
Detroit	300	900
Milwaukee	15,575	15,250
Minneapolis		36,020

Future Prices.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
July	67¼b	67⅜	66⅝	66⅝a
Sept	68¼b	68⅜	67⅝	67½b
CORN.				
July	41 @41¼a	42¼	40⅝@40¾	40⅝@40¾a
Sept	42¾a	42¾	41⅞	41⅞b
OATS.				
July	27¼@27⅝a			27¼a
Sept	26¼@26¾a	26¼	25⅝	25⅞
MINNEAPOLIS.				
	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
July	67⅛@67⅜	68¼	67⅛	67⅜
Sept	66⅝@66⅞	67⅞	66¼@66⅝	66⅞
NEW YORK.				
	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
July	77¾	77⅝@77⅞	76⅝	77 b
Sept	74¼b	74¾	74¼	74¾b
CORN.				
July	47¼b	47	46½	46¾b
Sept	47¼b	47⅛	47⅛@47½	47⅜a

CHICAGO.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
July	74¼	71⅝	70¼	70½@70⅝
Sept	68¾@68¾	69⅛	68¼@68¾	69⅛b
CORN.				
July	42¾b	43⅛	42¾	42⅝a
Sept	43⅞	44	43½	43½@43¾a
OATS.				
July	27¾a	27¾	27¼@27½	27½
Sept	26¾a	26¾@26½	25⅞	25⅞
PROVISIONS.				
PORK.				
July	$14.77 n	$14.90	$14.85	$14.85 a
Sept	14.95	15.07	14.97 a	15.02
RIBS.				
July	8.05	8.07@10	8.07	8.07
Sept	8.07 a	8.15	8.10	8.10@12
LARD.				
July	8.55 b			
Sept	8.65 a			

COTTON.

LOCAL MARKET, June 12.—Spot cotton steady and unchanged; sales, none.

Ordinary	6½c
Good ordinary	6¾c
Low middling	7⅛c
Middling	7⅞c
Good middling	8⅜c
Middling fair	8¾c

Tinges and stains ⅛c to ⅜c off white.

WAREHOUSE STATEMENT.

	1900-1901.	1899-1900.
Net receipts today		42
Net receipts since Sept. 1	233,644	140,817
Net shipments today	7,493	223
Net shipments since Sept. 1	174,867	175,222
Gross receipts today	880	142
Gross receipts since Sept. 1	804,172	796,702
Gross shipments today	831,043	821,706
Stock on hand	71,652	39,343

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LITTLE ROCK, Ark., June 12.—Cotton quiet; middling, 7¼c; good middling 7⅝c; receipts, 215 bales; this day last year, 5; since Sept. 1, 201,358; this time last year, 125,202; shipments, 220; this day last year, 49; stock, 32,771; this day last year, 3638.

LIVERPOOL, June 12.—Spot Cotton—Business moderate. 1-16d higher; uplands, 4 21-32d; sales, 8000. Futures closed steady—June, 4 33-64d b; June and July, 4 32-64d b; July and Aug., 4 31-64d b; Aug. and Sept., 4 25-64d s; Oct., 4 5-64d s; Oct. and Nov., 4 3-64d b; Nov. and Dec., 4 1-64d s; Dec. and Jan., 3 62-64d b.

Spot Cotton Market.

Galveston—Steady at 8c; receipts, 1600 bales.
New Orleans—Firm at 7 15-16c; receipts, 7265 bales.
Mobile—Nominal at 7¾c; receipts, 3 bales.
Savannah—Steady at 7¾c; receipts, 814 bales.
Charleston—Firm at 7¾c; receipts, 24 bales.
Norfolk—Firm at 8c; receipts, 832 bales.
Wilmington—Firm at 7¾c; receipts, 7 bales.
Baltimore—Nominal at 8¼c; receipts, none.
New York—Quiet at 8 5-16c; receipts, 202 bales.
Boston—Quiet at 8 5-16c; receipts, 240 bales.
Philadelphia—Quiet at 8 5-16c; receipts, 32 bales.
Houston—Steady at 8c; receipts, 1074 bales.
Augusta—Steady at 8 3-16c; receipts, 308 bales.
Memphis—Steady at 7 13-16c; receipts, 46 bales.

HAY.

Receipts—Local, 200 tons; through, 215 tons; shipments, 675 tons; market strong; receipts fair; choice timothy, $14.50@15.00; No. 1, $12.00@12.50; No. 2, $10.50@11.00. Clover—Choice, $12.00; owing to color and amount of mixture. Prairie—Choice, $11.50; No. 1, $11.00; No. 2, $9.00@9.50. Straw—Wheat, $4.00@4.50; rye, $7.00@7.50.

Bran—Sacked at mill, 76c.

FLOUR.

Patents	$3 50@3 60
Straights	3 10@3 20
Clears	2 90@3 00
Low and medium grades	2 60@2 75
Extreme low grades in jute	1 60@1 75
Pearl meal, hominy and grits	2 50
Cornmeal	2 60
Rye flour	2 90@3 00

PROVISIONS.

PORK—In a jobbing way at $15.75.
LARD—Higher at $8.40.
DRY SALT—Extra short, 8¼c; clear ribs, 8¼c; clear sides, 8¾c.
BACON—On orders, boxed lots: Extra short, 8¾c; clear ribs, 9¼c; clear sides, 9¼c.
BEEF—Plate, $8.00 per bbl.; Fulton, $10.
SUGAR-CURED HAMS—10@12c.
GREASE—Country: Yellow, 4¼c; white, 4¾@4½c.
TALLOW—Country: No. 1, 5c; No. 2, 4¾c; packers, 5½c. Cake out of season.

On the Street.

STRAWBERRIES—Home-grown from 50@75c per 3-gallon tray.
LEMONS—Steady and firm; Messina at $3.25@3.75 per box for choice; California at $2.00@2.80.
BANANAS—On orders, $1.50@1.75 per bunch.
COCOANUTS—Quotable at $30 per 1000—in a small way at $3.25 per 100.
ORANGES—Fancy navels at $3@3.25; seedlings, $2.40@2.75.
BLACKBERRIES—Choice, $1.50@1.75 per 6-gallon case.
CHERRIES—Home-grown at 90c@$1.10 per 24-quart case.
GOOSEBERRIES—Home-grown, 40c per 3-gallon tray and $1.25 per bushel.
CALIFORNIA APRICOTS—Quotable at $2.25@2.50 per 20-pound crate.
CALIFORNIA CHERRIES—$1.25@1.50 per 10-pound box.
PINEAPPLES—Cuban, $1.50@1.75 per crate, and Florida $3@3.50.
LIMES—Quotable at $1 per 100.
RASPBERRIES—Black Arkansas, $1.50@1.75 per 3-gal. case.
PEACHES—Texas, in peck boxes, 30@50c and 50@75c per 4-basket crate.
WATERMELONS—Steady; buyers were present. There has been an advance in range horse values since last season and it has had the effect of making the handlers timid. They were anxious to buy, and yet seemed rather disposed to wait and see how the first installment will take in the country districts.

A select lot of chunks, some very smooth, the lot averaging 1050 pounds, brought $38.50.

The early sales showed an advance in values over last season on all but the commonest end; still the values were not as high as had been anticipated by the selling interests, nor as high as warranted by the big rise in range horse values right on the ground. There were good sales for the number available, and the fact that they were not in the best possible condition.

Inexperienced people who essay to fill contracts for American cavalry horses generally have a big job on their hands, and of late many of these contracts are being placed with unfledged parties because regular national dealers are becoming loth to accept the responsibility of securing the animals, under the present strict provisions of the government and with the country supplies so scarce. Some time ago a contract was let for 420 head for the new cavalry post at Fort Meade, S. D., but it is reported that although the time has already once been extended, only 130 head have thus far been accepted. It will, therefore, be necessary to further prolong the time.

Union Stockyards.

HOGS—Market opened steady, closed strong and active.

SALES.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
67	270	$6 15	20	264	$6 10
84	222	6 10	95	198	6 10
16	208	6 10	50	195	6 05
62	153	6 05	37	196	6 05
44	196	6 05	48	192	6 00
90	191	6 00	69	189	5 95
17	183	5 95	36	161	5 90
22	173	5 90			

SALES.

No.					
7	Arkansas cows	1070	$3 40		
6	dairy cows	1040	3 25		
3	dairy cows	1130	3 05		
6	native cows	1104	3 75		
5	native cows	880	3 60		
4	native cows	1080	3 75		
2	native steers	1250	4 75		
6	sausage cows	1010	2 25		
2	sausage cows	890	2 40		
6	sausage cows	980	2 40		
12	s. c. mixed	939	3 00		
6	s. c. cows and heifers	850	3 80		
4	veal calves	110	5 50		
3	s. w. cows and calves, each		26	00	2-3
2	s. w. cows and calves, each		20	00	

LIVE STOCK BY TELEGRAPH.

KANSAS CITY, June 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 8000, including 2000 Texans; best beef cattle steady; others steady to weak; native beef steers, $5.10@5.55; Texas steers, $4.50@5.40; grass Texans, $3.00@4.50; Texas cows, $2.90@4.25; native cows and heifers, $3.35@4.30; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.00; bulls, $3.25@5.00; calves, $3.00@5.50. Hogs—Receipts, 20,000; market steady to 5c higher; bulk of sales, $5.85@6.00; heavy, $5.95@6.10; packers, $5.90@6.00; mixed, $5.85@6.00; light, $5.75@5.90; Yorkers, $5.70@5.90; pigs, $5.00@5.60. Sheep—Receipts, 4500; market steady to shade lower; muttons, $3.25@4.85; lambs, $4.65@5.25; grass Texans, $3.50@3.90; spring lambs, $4.25@5.25.

SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., June 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 3500; market steady to 5@10c lower; native beef steers, $4.30@6; western steers, $4@4.85; Texas steers, $3.50@4.65; cows and heifers, firm, $3.50@4.70; canners, $2@3.40; stockers and feeders, $2.25@3; calves, $3.50@7; bulls, stags, etc., $3@4.50. Hogs—Receipts, 12,200; market steady to lower; heavy, $5.92½@6; mixed, $5.90@5.92½; light, $5.85@5.90; pigs, $5@5.80; bulk of sales, $5.90@5.92½. Sheep—Receipts, 1200; market 10@15c lower; fed muttons, $3.90@4.10; grass wethers, $3.50@3.80; ewes, $3@3.70; common and stock sheep, $3@3.75; lambs, steady, $4.25@5.10; spring lambs, $4.50@5.50.

CHICAGO, June 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 21,000; steady to weak. Good to prime steers, $5.50@6.30; poor to medium, $4.50@5.40; stockers and feeders, $2.00@4.85; cows, $2.80@5.00; heifers, $2.80@5.15; canners, $2.00@2.75; bulls, $2.90@4.65; calves, $4.00@6.75; Texas fed steers, $4.25@5.00; Texas bulls, $2.75@3.85. Hogs—Receipts, today, 26,000; tomorrow, 25,000; left over, 4025; opened 5c higher, closing easier. Top, $6.25; mixed and butchers, $5.90@6.15; good to choice heavy, $6.00@6.25; rough heavy, $5.85@5.95; light, $5.85@6.05; bulk of sales, $6.00@6.15. Sheep—Receipts, 15,000; steady. Good to choice wethers, $3.90@4.20; fair to choice, $3.60@4.00; western sheep, $3.90@4.20; yearlings, $4.00@4.40; native lambs, $4.00@5.05; western lambs, $4.90@5.05.

Official receipts and shipments for yesterday—Receipts, cattle and calves, 3883; hogs, 17,643; sheep, 9682. Shipments, cattle, 3000; hogs, 2178; sheep, 771.

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SOUTH ST. JOSEPH, Mo., June 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 1900; market steady to weak; top, $5.80. Hogs—Receipts, 8800; market strong to 5c higher, closed weak; bulk, $5.92½@6.00; range, $5.85@6.10; pigs, $3.00@5.05. Sheep—Receipts, 3100; market generally steady.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, June 12.—The steady tone of the Liverpool cables helped the wheat market at the opening today. July opened ¾@⅞c higher at 71⅜@71¾c, on a buying demand, resulting from an impression that bottom prices had been reached. The buyers were astonished, however, at the quantities of grain put out to them largely on the favorable weather and within 20 minutes the market declined to 71c. There was a temporary recovery of ½c on covering by pit shorts, and July sold down to 70¾c, reacting again to 70¾@70⅝c. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 287 cars, against 420 last week and 484 a year ago. Local receipts were 72 cars, none of contract grade.

Corn was dull, but a fair local demand existed early in the session. July opened a shade lower on favorable weather at 42⅝@42⅞c and on covering by shorts advanced to 43@43⅛c, resulting in the opening figure on liberal offerings. Local receipts were 219 cars, 3 of contract grade.

Oats were moderately active and fairly steady. Selling of July was the feature of the trading. July opened ⅛c higher at 27⅜c and declined to 27¼@27⅜c. Local receipts were 108 cars.

Better prices for hogs induced an improvement in provisions. There was a good demand from commission houses, and July pork opened 12½c up at $14.90. Under liberal offerings it declined 5c, July sold 5c higher at $8.60. July lard and ribs were not quoted.

CHICAGO, June 12.—Cash wheat—No. 2 red, 71¼@72½c; No. 3 red, 70@71c; No. 2 hard winter, 70c; No. 3 hard winter, 69¼@70c; No. 1 northern spring, 71½@72½c; No. 2 northern spring, 71½@72½c; No. 3 spring, 67@72½c. Corn—No. 2, 41¾@42c; No. 3, 41c. Oats—No. 2, 26@26¼c; No. 3, 27¼@28c.

CHICAGO, June 12.—Butter steady; creameries, 15@18½c; dairies, 14@16½c. Eggs weak; loss off, cases returned, 10½c. Iced poultry steady; chickens, 8c; turkeys, 7@9c.

NEW YORK, June 12.—Butter—Receipts, 12,422 packages; creamery, 15½@19½c; factory, 12@14½c. Cheese—Receipts, 3709 packages; steady; fancy colored, 8¾@8¾c; do white, 8¾c; do small colored, 9c; do small white, 9c. Eggs—Receipts, 17,854 packages; dull and weak; western, candled and selected, 12¾@13c; western, ungraded, 10@12c. Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3¾c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4¼c; molasses sugar, 3¾c; refined steady; crushed, 6.05c; powdered, 5.85c; granulated, 5.35c. Coffee quiet; No. 7 Rio, 6c.

PEORIA, Ill., June 12.—Corn dull; No. 4, 39c. Oats lower; No. 3 white, 27¾c; billed through. Whisky on the basis of $1.27 for finished goods.

LIVERPOOL, June 12.—Close: Wheat steady, unchanged to ¼d higher; July, 5s 9¾d; Sept., 5s 9¼d. Corn steady, unchanged to ¼d lower; July, 3s 10¾d; Sept., 3s 11¼d.

WALL STREET.

NEW YORK, June 12.—Rumors of peace in South Africa again caused higher prices in London today and was an influence here at the opening. Missouri Pacific and Pennsylvania were features, 5000 shares of the former selling at 122½ to 123, compared with 121 last night, and 5000 shares of the latter selling at 151¾ to 151¾, compared with 151 last night. Amalgamated Copper, St. Paul, Sugar, St. Louis Southwestern preferred, and Denver & Rio Grande preferred were up about a point.

Pennsylvania assumed the leadership of the market, and on the absorption of thousands of shares the stock worked up to 153½. The buoyancy of this property was without a beneficial effect on other active stocks, moderate offerings causing sharp reisposes in Atchison, Louisville, Missouri Pacific, Union Pacific, Southern Pacific and United States Steel. There were substantial gains in some minor railroads and specialties, and the general market felt more acutely the absence of inside support. The traction stocks moved up a point or more before noon, and American Cotton Oil suddenly jumped 2¾, Denver & Rio Grande preferred gained 2¾ and Colorado Fuel 3¼ altogether. Bonds were dull and irregular.

Spasmodic advances in various parts of the list did not enliven the general trading, business continued upward, profit-taking lowered Missouri Pacific to 122, but it subsequently brought 123½. The Denver & Rio Grande stocks rose 1¼ for the common and 1¾ for the preferred. Sugar broke to ¾ under yesterday's close, got back to above parity and took the down grade again. American Car common rose 1¾, the preferred 1¼, Rock Island 2¼, Pacific Coast second preferred 2, Colorado Fuel 1⅝ and B. & O. a point. On the other hand Tennessee Coal and the Linseed issues were 1@2 points off. Consolidated continued upward, touching level 1½ above last night on the reported acquisition of the Pennsylvania Steel Co., and Erie common and Reading first pref erred made gains of ¾. Lead advanced 1¾ and the preferred 4, while Amalgamated Copper lost about 2 points. At 11 o'clock speculation was feverish and prices were moving irregularly.

New York Money and Exchange.

NEW YORK, June 12.—Noon—Money on call steady at 3 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3¾@4¼ per cent; sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.88¼@4.88⅝ for demand and at $4.85½@4.85⅝ for 60 days; posted rates, $4.86¾ and $4.89; commercial bills, $4.84⅞@4.85¼; silver certificates nominally at 60c. Government bonds steady; refunding 2s, reg., 106¾; coupon, 107¼; 5s, reg., 109; coupon, 109; new 4s, reg., 138; coupon, 139; old 4s, reg., 112¾; coupon, 113½; 5s, reg., 108¾; coupon, 109⅝.

MRS. JULIUS WALSH HONORED.

Georgetown Convent Alumnae Select Her as Their President.

A special to the Post-Dispatch from Washington says:

At the annual meeting of the Georgetown Convent alumnae Mrs. Julius C. Walsh of St. Louis was unanimously elected to succeed Mrs. Washington Roebling of New Jersey as president.

Mrs. Potter Palmer was considered a possible candidate for this place, but she sailed for Europe without consenting to the use of her name.

The other officers elected were 15 vice-presidents, as follows: Mrs. Nancy Lucas Johnson of St. Louis, Mrs. Adelaide Tarpey Morrison of St. Louis, Miss Marie Patterson of St. Louis, Miss Susie Randall of Philadelphia, Mrs. Russell B. Harrison of Indianapolis, Mrs. Brockhoist Cutting of New York, Miss Harriet Monroe of Chicago, Mrs. J. B. Moran of Detroit, Miss Helen Abell of Baltimore, Miss Eugenie Casey Morgan of Savannah, Mrs. Myra Knox Semmes of New Orleans, Mrs. Anna Foote Stewart of Nevada, Mrs. Jennie Walters Delamar of Baltimore, Mrs. Mary M. Carr of New Mexico, and Mrs. Blanche Butler Ames of Boston.

The recording secretary is Mrs. Albert Tovis Kelly of New York.

UNLAWFUL RATE OF SPEED.

Blamed by Deputy Coroner for Street Car Victim's Death.

At the inquest on the death of Gottlieb Zettler, who was killed by a Broadway car in Baden June 10, Deputy Coroner Fitzsimmons Wednesday found that the car which killed Zettler was running at too high a rate of speed.

He accordingly rendered a verdict of "death due to injuries received by being struck by a street car running at an unlawful rate of speed, and the fender of which failed to work properly."

"How fast were you running?" Motorman Oscar Wieland was asked.

"About eight miles an hour," was the answer.

"How far back did you have your handle?"

"To the ninth notch."

From his knowledge of the mechanism of a trolley car and from the statements of persons who saw the car approaching at what seemed to be full speed, Mr. Fitzsimmons decided that the motorman had understated the rate of speed of his car.

HUGH BRENNAN'S WILL FILED.

Mrs. Pickel Gets Five-Sixths and Others Remainder of Estate.

According to the will of the late Hugh Brennan, filed for probate Wednesday, one of the daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Pickel, wife of William Pickel of St. Louis will receive five-sixths of the estate of the deceased, the remaining one-sixth going to the other daughter, Mrs. Margaret Doherty, wife of John A. Doherty of Chicago.

The will then provides that in case either of the daughters shall contest the will, she shall lose her portion of the estate and the daughter that does not contest shall receive all of it.

The witnesses to the will are Daniel and John Dillon. The estate is said to be large.

CASHIER SHOT HIMSELF.

Bank Examiner Had Unexpectedly Begun Checking Up His Cash.

DEXTER, Kan., June 12.—Assistant State Bank Examiner Davis unexpectedly started to check up the affairs of the State Bank of Dexter Monday. Yesterday when he went to the bank he found J. H. Watkins, cashier of the bank, dead on the floor. He had blown out his brains. The examiner has found a shortage that will exceed $2000 in the bank's cash.

HELD FOR MURDER

MRS. STALLION, FATHER AND BROTHERS BOUND OVER.

SYMPATHY FOR THE WOMAN

Her Twin Babies May Secure Her Release From Jail, but Under Close Guard.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

AURORA, Mo., June 12.—Mrs. John Stallion, Thomas Crabtree, her father, and William and John Crabtree, her brothers, were held for the Stone County grandjury without bond. They are charged with complicity in the murder of Alice Stallion, the stepdaughter of Mrs. Stallion.

The preliminary trial was begun at Cape Fair, the scene of the crime, but by agreement among the attorneys the court adjourned to Galena, where the pleading before the jury was finished. The grandjury will not meet until next October. In the meantime the prisoners must remain in jail.

It is possible that an exception may be made in the case of Mrs. Stallion. The attitude of hostility toward the woman has changed, and the sentiment is now more one of pity. Mrs. Stallion is the mother of twin babies that require her care, and a movement is on foot to secure her release from the close confinement of a prison cell, but under the care of a special guard.

It is charged that Alice Stallion was murdered by some or all of the defendants and her body thrown into a small stream where it was afterward found. At the trial the evidence of John Yocum, the sweetheart of the dead girl, seriously affected the case of the defendants.

REVENUE INCREASES $95,000

Total Assessed Valuation of City Property is $5,000,000 Greater Than in 1900.

An increase of not less than $5,000,000 in the taxable real estate values of St. Louis, as compared with 1900, will be shown by the summary now being prepared by Assessor O'Brien for the information of the committees of the House and Council, who are making up the appropriation bill.

At the present rate of taxation, $1.60 on the $100, the increase in revenue from an increase of $5,000,000 in valuation would amount to $85,000.

No estimate of the value of personal property has yet been made out by Mr. O'Brien, who is devoting his attention especially to equalizing and in some cases increasing the valuations of real estate.

The assessor's report will show an increase of nearly 3000 in the number of lots taxed. This is due to the opening of city lots in numerous tracts which were heretofore counted as acreage and were used for grazing and gardening.

The total number of city lots taxed last year was 112,892. This year it will exceed 115,000.

DEATH PREFERRED TO ARREST

John Mitchell of East St. Louis Cut His Throat as Policemen Entered His Home.

Preferring death to arrest, John Mitchell of East St. Louis cut his throat while Policemen Enright and Meehan were entering his home at 1024 Division street Wednesday morning.

He severed the jugular vein and died instantly.

The two policemen had been called by neighbors to arrest Mitchell for disturbing the peace of his family by threats and abuse.

When the officers reached the house the domestic battle was still raging.

As he saw the policemen Mitchell seized his razor and cut his throat in their presence.

Before they could reach his side he was dead.

Mitchell was 35 years old.

MAYOR'S BILLS WERE PASSED.

Council Takes Action on Lighting and Water Inspection Bills.

The Council Tuesday night passed the municipal lighting plant bill and the bill for the employment of expert engineers to investigate the city's water supply. Both measures originated with Mayor Wells.

The Council voted to reject the bid of the Westliche Post for the city printing, holding the price charged, 8 cents per line, excessive. Another letting for the city printing in German will be held, and in the meantime the Westliche Post, holding the present contract, will continue to publish the official journal, at 8 cents a line, the price at which it secured last year's contract.

Bills for licensing runners for mercantile houses and for increasing the force of City Hall janitors from nine to 12 were passed. A favorable report was made on the bill for the leasing of a new site on Ninth street for engine company No. 6.

CHANNING SYSTEM ABOLISHED.

Hereafter One Car Will Run Between Cook and Laclede Avenues.

The St. Louis Transit Co. announced Wednesday that it has discontinued the Channing avenue division of its service which was inaugurated last fall.

The order of discontinuance was made Tuesday night, going into effect immediately.

Herefater, one call will operate over the Channing avenue tracks from Grand and Cook avenues to Channing and Laclede avenues, making the round trip in seven minutes and issuing and receiving transfers to and from intersecting lines.

High School L. S. Commencement.

The High School Literary Society awarded diplomas to Walter L. Bloch, Erle Birkner, Albert Doellner, Maxwell Goldman, Victor Horwitz, C. Walter Randall, Norman P. Rehm, Norman Sadler, William Weiss, Hiram Wilson and Hans Wulff. The commencement exercises were held in the High School auditorium and the mandolin club rendered music. Each of the graduates participated in the entertainment. The principal feature was the debate on "Resolved, That the Constitution Ought to Follow the Flag." The affirmative was maintained by Robert Claiborne and Simon Frank and the negative by Hiram Wilson and Ephraim Wilson. The judges awarded the decision to the negative.

Preparing for July 4.

John H. Hundley, a broker, has been selected as grand marshal of the parade which will be given in St. Louis on the nation's birthday by the Fourth of July Celebration Association. L. D. Young, a St. Louisan, who is on Gov. Dockery's staff as colonel, and Capt. R. E. Lee are mentioned in connection with the appointment of the grand marshal's chief of staff. At the suggestion of Rev. James McAllester of Central Christian Church, the officers of the association have decided to request the ministers of the St. Louis churches to preach on "The Meaning of the Flag" on Sunday, June 30.

Struck by a Transit Car.

George T. Blanford of 1430 Locust street, a clerk for the Simmons Hardware Co., was struck by a car of the transit company at Twelfth street and Washington avenue Tuesday night as he was crossing the street on the way home. One ankle was sprained.

He was removed to the City Hospital. Blanford has been a resident of the city for the past three months. He came here from Labano, Ky.

Fire on Locust Street.

Fire caused an estimated loss of $2000 in the cigar factory of the Rawak-Thies company, at 616 Locust street, at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday morning. The fire caught on the first floor, where the gas meters were located, and was extinguished before it had a chance to spread. The principal damage was to leaf tobacco and cigars that had not been placed in boxes.

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MAY LOSE HIS SIGHT

FRANK MANNING INJURED BY A BLANK CARTRIDGE.

PLAYED WITH A STRANGE BOY

Little William Mason Had a Pistol and With It Young Manning, Who Met Him. Was Shot.

Frank Manning, aged 10 years, of 221 North Leffingwell avenue, may partially lose his sight as a result of powder burns received from a blank cartridge pistol in the hands

FOR EXCHANGE.
One Cent a Word.

MANDOLIN WANTED—To exchange, fine fox terrier for good make mandolin. Ad. K 114, P.-D.

RIFLE WANTED—For exchange, 250 cigars, 100 popular brands, for Winchester rifle, 22, or Smith & Wesson revolver, or what have you? Ad. K 91, Post-Dispatch.

SPECTACLES—Fine pair solid gold spectacles will be fitted to your eye in exchange for a good revolver or rugs. Call on optician, 2305 Locust st.

STEREOPTICON WANTED—Job printing office and $75 phonograph outfit for stereopticon and moving picture machine. Caton Bros. East St. Louis, Ill.

STORE WANTED—For exchange, moving picture entertainment outfit for confectionery or small store. Ad. L 12, Post-Dispatch.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.
20 Words or Less, 5 Cents.

ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER—Position wanted by young man; reliable and energetic; refs. Ad. L 46, Post-Dispatch.

BAKER—Situation wanted by first-class cake baker. Ad. 2413A Newstead av.

BAKER—Sit. wanted by a first-class bread and cake baker; city or country. 4421 S. 9th st.

BILL CLERK—Position wanted as bill clerk or collector by steady, industrious man of ability; best references. Ad. L 43, Post-Dispatch.

BILL CLERK OR COLLECTOR—Position wanted by young man that is steady, capable and reliable, with a good house; refs. Ad. L 47, P.-D.

BOOKKEEPER—Young man wants position as bookkeeper and stenographer; willing to work up; can give references. Ad. L 26, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Sit. wanted as assistant bookkeeper by steady, industrious man of ability; best references. Ad. L 44, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Situation wanted by experienced bookkeeper and office man, with some grain or agricultural implement firm preferred. Ad. H 7, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Young man at present employed wishes to take charge of a small set of books evenings. Ad. H 2, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Situation wanted by strong boy of 14 years; some experience with tools. 2222 Chouteau av.

BOY—Sit. wanted by boy 14 years old, in office or wholesale house; good refs. Ad. Atkinson, 2815 Olive st.

BOY—Sit. wanted by boy of 16 to learn trade or steady employment of any kind. J. Engel, 2708 Lemp av.

COACHMAN—Position wanted by colored man as coachman or houseman in private family; satisfaction guaranteed. 4042 Finney av.

DRAFTSMAN—Sit. wanted by an experienced draftsman on electrical or mechanical drafting or electrical testing; refs. given. Ad. K 115, P.-D.

FIREMAN—Situation wanted as head fireman or water tender; can give references if required. Ad. E, 1463 N. Market st.

FIREMAN—Sit. wanted by experienced fireman and engineer; do own repairing; understands laundry machinery; best of city references. Ad. K 107, Post-Dispatch.

HOTEL CLERK—Position wanted in hotel; steady and reliable; good refs. Ad. L 48, Post-Dis.

MAN—Young man wants work in store or to run an elevator. Ad. Fred Behring, 2635 De Kalb st.

MAN—Situation wanted; I can do anything in retail grocery store; will work cheap; city references; cash or bond. Ad L. 94, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wants work; work in department store; city ref.; experienced; will work cheap. Ad. L 36, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by an elderly man to care for horse, cow, lawn. Chas. McGowen, Windsor Hotel, 16th and Pine sts.

MAN—Sit. wanted in grocery and meat market by experienced man; good references. Ad. 110 N. 11th st.

MAN—Sit. wanted by reliable, sober man, around private place, tend to horses, cows; city refs. Ad. H 103, Post-Dispatch.

MAN AND WIFE—Sits. wanted by man and wife in private family; good refs. James Morris, 2136 Walnut st.

MAN—Wanted work around house by young colored man; refs. furnished. 1714 Chestnut st.

MAN—Young man wants position in grocery store; northern part of city preferred; talk German and English. Ad. L 25, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Bright young man, age 20, would like work of any kind; has best of refs. Ad. L 4, P.-D.

MAN—Sit. wanted by an elderly German; care of horses, cow, garden, lawn, yard; refs. Ad. L 7, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by young man as clerk in office; can do stenographic work; can give best of refs. Ad. 2520 N. 9th st.

MEN—Sit. wanted, two young colored men, do janitor or porter work in private family; give references. 205 N. 20th st.

OFFICEMAN—Officeman wants position; office work or collecting; good references; experience. Address K 94, Post-Dispatch.

OFFICE WORK—A young man of ability wants employment, with chance of promotion; references. Ad. L 45, Post-Dispatch.

PORTER—Competent colored man wants situation as porter in store or janitor around place; references. Ad. 110 S. Leonard av.

PRINTER—Competent, reliable printer wants a steady sit.; has had experience as foreman. Ad. F 16, Post-Dispatch.

SHIPPING CLERK—Situation wanted by young man, 20 years of age, as shipping, receiving or filling clerk; 4 years' experience and best of references. Ad. L 32, Post-Dispatch.

SPIELER—First-class spieler; can make openings on anything and never gives out; wants sit. Ad. L 54, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Young man, with about one year's experience, wants position; Remington operator; and will work reasonable. H. 143, P.-D.

WATCHMAN—Place wanted as watchman or other similar work; good refs. Ad. A 62, Post-Dis.

WATCHMAN—Sit. wanted as night or day watchman, by middle-aged man with experience; best of references. Ad. L 1, Post-Dispatch.

YOUNG MAN—Quick at figures, rapid penman, wants position; references. Ad. L 42, Post-Dis.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

BAKER WANTED—Baker, well experienced on bread and rolls; steady place; wages $15. 1051 Hodiamont.

BAKER WANTED—Baker; one who wants a home and can work for small wages; the work is light. 2333 Franklin av.

BARBER WANTED—Steady work. 912 N. 7th st.

BARBER WANTED—Barber for Saturday and Sunday; steady if suited; also colored bootblack. 1427 Franklin av.

BARBER WANTED—Good barber; steady work. 300 Rutger st.

BARBER WANTED—Good barber at once; good wages. 2040 Franklin.

BARBER WANTED—Barber, at northwest corner 18th and Market sts.

BARBER WANTED—A good barber. Apply at 912 N. 7th st.

BARBER WANTED—First-class barber; sober and good workman; steady job. Apply 3301 Easton av.

BARBER WANTED—A good colored barber; guarantee to right man. 307½ Missouri av., East St. Louis.

BARBER WANTED—Barber for Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday; $4 guaranteed. 2005 Cass av.

BARBER WANTED—First-class union barber. 3958 Grandc av.

BARBER WANTED—A first-class barber. 916 Pine st.

BARBER WANTED—Steady barber; single preferred. Lemp and Utah.

BARBER WANTED—A good steady barber. 2405 N. Broadway.

BARBER WANTED—A first-class barber; single man. 3307 Meramec st.

BARBER WANTED—A good barber, for Saturday and Sunday; good wages guaranteed. 2742 Cass.

BLACKSMITHS WANTED—Also blacksmith helpers. Apply 2900 De Kalb st.

BLACKSMITH WANTED—At Bridgetown, Mo., country work; steady job; 14 miles out on Wabash railroad. Apply to P. O'Malley.

BOY WANTED—Boy to learn painting. 1623 Lafayette av.

BOY WANTED—Good boy or girl for dining room work; private boarding house. 3815 Washington.

BOY WANTED—Boy, to wash dishes in restaurant; $2 week, room and board. 3220 Laclede av.

BOY WANTED—Boy, for grocery and saloon; one who has some experience and can speak German and furnish references. Apply at 1601 Biddle.

BOY WANTED—One German boy that has experience in butcher trade. 1105 Chouteau av.

BOYS WANTED—Two boys, for wrapping; apply at once. 115 Morgan st.

BOY WANTED—Boy to work in store. 614 Locust st., 4th floor.

BOY WANTED—Boy to stamp shoes. Tennent Shoe Factory, 23d and O'Fallon sts.

BOY WANTED—An experienced boy for soda fountain. Apply 1000 Olive st.

BOY WANTED—Good paste boy. Apply J. M. Read & Co., 514 N. Sarah st.

BOY WANTED—Steady colored boy to work morning and evening for room and board. 613 N. Garrison.

BOYS WANTED—Two bright boys about 17 years old; chance to advance to right kind. F. C. Riddle & Bro. Casket Co., 1406 Hogan st., between O'Fallon and Cass av.

BOY WANTED—Bright boy, by large financial institution; must write quick, readable hand. Ad. L 5, Post-Dispatch.

BOY WANTED—Strong boy, about 16 years of age, to assist in porter work. Apply to F. Joseph, Globe, 7th and Franklin.

BOY WANTED—Boy to work around house and wait on table; one that can milk. 5080 Washington av.

BOY WANTED—Good strong boy, 17 years old, to learn good trade. 217 Pine st.

BOY WANTED—Colored boy, 17 or 18 years old, to shine shoes. 3044 Easton av.

BOY WANTED—Boy about 15 or 16 to attend a soda fountain and make himself useful around drug store. 5901 Maple av.

COOK WANTED—A good second cook; Grand Union Restaurant, 1809 Market st.

COOK WANTED—A good cook. Call at 3204 Olive st.

CUTTER WANTED—Experienced short-knife cutter for muslin underwear; steady position to good man. S. Grabinsky & Co., 715 N. 7th st.

CUTTERS WANTED—Cutters on overalls and jumpers; steady work, good pay. 804 N. 7th st.

CUTTER WANTED—Experienced pants cutter; quick; must be up-to-date and speedy for tailor-made pants. Ad. Grand Pants, Co., 716 Walnut st., Kansas City, Mo.

DISHWASHER WANTED—Good stout colored boy to wash dishes in restaurant. 2047 Olive st.

DISHWASHER WANTED—Clean, sober dishwasher at Voney's Restaurant, 313 Locust st.

DISHWASHERS WANTED—Collier's Hotel, Granite City, Ill.

DRUG CLERK WANTED—6131 Easton av.

ENGINEER WANTED—Licensed engineer for a small plant; must do his own firing. Ad. K 51, Post-Dispatch.

ERRAND BOY WANTED—Errand boy at 18 N. 3d st., 3d floor.

ERRAND BOY WANTED—At Union Tailoring Co., 1426 Market st.

FINISHERS WANTED—Finishers on architectural wrought iron work. 421 S. 6th st.

FIREMAN WANTED—Fireman who thoroughly understands downdraft furnace. Engineer, St. Nicholas Hotel.

GENTLEMAN WANTED—Gentleman, about 25, to learn soliciting for a large publication house; must be of good appearance; fluent talker; come well recommended; to such gentleman a pleasant as well as advancing position is offered. Ad. L 24, Post-Dispatch.

GLAZIER WANTED—A glazier. Call at 3815 Washington av.

HARNESS CLEANER WANTED—First-class harness cleaner; must come well recommended. 021 N. 6th st., Merchants' Stable.

LABORERS WANTED—Apply 2800 De Kalb st.

LABORERS WANTED—Laborers, teamsters, for excavating; long job. 2900 S. 9th st. J. Mullich.

LABORERS WANTED—Laborers, at Frisco depot, 7th and Cerre; $3.50 day.

LABORERS WANTED—Colored concrete laborers, at Forsythe Junction; take Delmar cars. Mound City Construction Co.

LABORERS WANTED—Laborers; on street work! Easton av., between Goode and Taylor avs.; wages 17½c per hour; board in neighborhood; $4 per week. Fruin-Bambrick Construction Co.

LABORERS WANTED—Concrete laborers. Easton and Aubert av.

LABORERS WANTED—Laborers at new City Hospital.

LABORERS WANTED—Sewer laborers; Delmar Jockey Club, Delmar and Suburban R. R. John F. McMahon.

MACHINISTS WANTED—Lathe, planer and floor hands; men experienced in machine tool work preferred; no labor trouble; 9-hour day. Bignall & Keeler Mfg. Co., Edwardsville, Ill.

MACHINISTS, ETC., WANTED—Machinists, Corliss engine hands; also vise hands for sawmill work; good wages and steady jobs, with chance for promotion are offered to the right men. Ad. The Filer & Stowell Co., Milwaukee, Wis.

MACHINE HANDS WANTED—Competent bench machine hands on sash, door and blind work; steady employment. Phenix Planing Mill Co., 12th and Spruce sts.

MACHINISTS WANTED—75 competent machinists and few handy men for railroad shops outside St. Louis. Room 421 Holland bldg.

MAN WANTED—Single young man in retail shoe store; must be experienced and give refs. Ad. L 20, Post-Dispatch.

MAN WANTED—Good colored man for general housework. 4210 Washington av.

MAN WANTED—Able, energetic, experienced business man, to place investment proposition on installment plan. A. S. Pendry, 615 Fullerton building.

MAN WANTED—Sober man to take care of horses. 2320 Chestnut st.

MAN to travel; $50 month and expenses; $25 deposit required. 919 Olive st., room 2.

MAN WANTED—For wagon, an experienced package man; none other need apply. 3073 Glasgow pl.

MAN WANTED—Respectable looking man; willing to work in yard and house. 3213 Russell av.

MAN WANTED—Single white man, from 25 to 55 years old, handy with carpenter tools and as driver and porter; must understand care of horses, harness and vehicles; $8 a week and room free. Ad. L 35, Post-Dispatch.

MAN WANTED—White man to work a couple of hours daily around dwelling place; neighborhood 3300 Olive st; wages $12. Ad., stating references, L 19, Post-Dispatch.

MAN WANTED—Man to assist in office and collect; $12 week; small deposit. 904 Olive st., room 409.

MAN WANTED—Good, reliable man to work in city; references required. 2731 Franklin av.

MEN WANTED—Men to learn barber trade; $60 monthly paid graduates; just completed arrangements to place our barbers on palace trains; other positions also; eight weeks completes; tools presented. Call today, Moler Barber College, 1141 Market st.

MEN WANTED—Competent first-class laborers and helpers. Call Crescent Foundry and Machine Co., Vandalia Railroad and St. Clair av., East St. Louis.

MEN WANTED—50 men, 13th st. and Washington av.; $2 per day. John A. Lynch.

MEN WANTED—30 men, on Broadway and Tyler st.; $1.75 per day. Tim Moloney.

MEN WANTED—Laborers on street work, Easton av., between Goode and Taylor avs.; wages 17½c per hour; board in neighborhood; $4 per week. Fruin-Bambrick Construction Co.

MEN WANTED—20 men and 10 teams, on 9th and O'Fallon sts. Tim Moloney.

MEN WANTED—50 men on Easton av., between Vandeventer and Goode avs., for street work; $1.75 a day; steady work. Carroll Contracting Company.

MEN WANTED—20 surfacers for Illinois Central Railroad; Springfield division; fees deducted. 1626 Market st.

MEN WANTED—10 men for outside work. Blacksmer & Post Pipe Co., Arsenal st., near King's highway.

MEN WANTED—100 Italians, Greeks and Polanders; new railroad; $1.50 per day; pass free both ways. Gleason & Stoddard, 113 N. 6th.

MEN WANTED—Everywhere, hustlers to tack signs, distribute circulars, samples, etc.; no canvassing; good pay. Sun Advertising Bureau, Chicago.

MEN WANTED—Young men, everywhere easily earn $6 weekly addressing envelopes home evenings; any quantity furnished; send addressed envelope, particulars. Manager, Dept. P, Box 1600, Philadelphia.

MEN WANTED—100 railroad laborers; 50 teamsters; Mo. National Laborer Co., 113 N. 6th st.

MILKER WANTED—Good milker. Apply Keyes Dairy Co., 3685 Olive.

MILKERS WANTED—At Meramec Highlands Dairy, several experienced milkers. Aply at dairy, Meramec Highlands.

MOLDERS WANTED—Bench molders and squeezer machine operators. Carondelet Fdy. Co., 3123 S. King's highway.

MOLDERS WANTED—Molder helpers and laborers. American Radiator Co., Talmage av. and Mo. Pacific tracks.

NAILERS WANTED—Experienced hand nailers, Columbia Box Co., 19th and North Market st.

PACKER WANTED—An experienced clothing packer; best city references required. I. Harris & Co., 813 Washington av.

PAINTERS WANTED—Carriage painters. Moran & O'Toole C. & W. Co., Broadway and Spruce st.

PAINTERS WANTED—Two painters. 17th and Wash sts.

PAINTER WANTED—A good house painter; must work reasonable. Apply 2013 E. Grand av.

PAINT CLEANERS WANTED—Paint cleaners at Laclede Hotel.

PAPER HANGER WANTED—Good paper hanger. Apply J. M. Read & Co., 514 N. Sarah st.

PASTEBOY WANTED—Experienced pasteboy; good wages. Call between 6 and 7. 2314 Lawton.

PIPE CUTTER WANTED—Pipe cutter and threader; also, 8-foot brake. Mound City Stove and Range Co., 2009 S. Jefferson av.

PORTER WANTED—Colored man for porter in saloon. 1919 Lucas av.

PORTER WANTED—Light-colored porter; young and steady man; to work around bakery and coffee house. 611 Morgan st.

PRESSFEEDERS WANTED—Two job pressfeeders. James Maccallum Printing Co., 3707 N. Broadway.

PRESSER WANTED—Good presser on fine shop pants. 813 N. 11th st.

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TEAMSTERS, ETC., WANTED—10 teamsters and scraper loaders. Pattonville, St. Louis County. Rosedale Contracting and Supply Co.

WANTED—Laborers; on street work; Easton av., between Goode and Taylor avs.; wages 17½c per hour; board in neighborhood; $4 per week. Fruin-Bambrick Construction Co.

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A $4 dull-finished cabinet photo cut to $2 dozen. Lexow Studio, 1630 Franklin av. Open Sunday.

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An experienced elevator boy; at once.
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14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

SALESMEN WANTED—Two men, who have had some experience selling goods; must be wide awake; references. Conroy Bros., 1115 Olive st.

SALESMAN WANTED—A first-class salesman for clothing and furnishing; permanent position for right man. Apply 439 Collinsville av., East St. Louis.

AGENTS WANTED.
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AGENTS WANTED—Five good hustlers to work for the only first-class studio in St. Louis, handling tickets; elegant outfit free. Murillo, 1314 Olive st.

LADY AGENTS—To sell soap; $5 a week; call 9 to 1. 717 Holland bldg.

WANTED—Agents and peddlers to sell American Medicine Co. remedies; will make long profit; we guarantee you no loss; it will pay you to call and see us. American Medicine Co., 4105 S. Broadway.

$100 MONTHLY—New patent Metallic Bread Boards. Sample free. K. V. Forshee Co., Cincinnati, O.

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ANY GIRL needing friends or help or care through confinement can find them at the Salvation Army Rescue Home, 3740 Marine av. Ensign F. Morgensen, matron.

CASHIER—Young lady of 21 years wishes position as cashier and office assistant; experienced; city or country; A1 references. Ad. G 23, P.-D.

CHAMBERMAID—Sit. wanted by reliable woman as chambermaid in rooming house; good references; sleep at home. Ad. Mrs. Atkinson, 2815 Olive st.

COMPANION—Retired girl wishes to leave city as companion or nurse to child. 3137 Olive st.

COMPANION—Young lady would like position as companion or nurse for children where the family goes away for the summer; can furnish best of reference. Ad. G 24, Post-Dispatch.

COOK—Sit. by good, experienced girl; private family, as cook; willing to leave city. Call 912 N. Leonard.

COOK—Woman wants position in widower's home; good cook and not afraid of work. Call 1924 Morgan st.

COOK—Sit. wanted by reliable cook; willing to assist with other work; refs. 819 N. 21st st., upstairs.

COOK—Sit. wanted by first-class German cook in American family. 1207 S. 7th st., 3d floor.

DRESSMAKER—Experienced dressmaker desires few more engagements at her own home only; artistic work. 3503 Lindell av.

GIRL—Sit. wanted by young girl, 16 years old, as nursegirl in first-class family. Ad. L 18, P.-D.

GOVERNESS—A young widow of an army officer, cultured and refined, of pleasant disposition, desires position as governess in refined gentleman's home; references exchanged. Ad. G 41, P.-D.

HOUSEKEEPER—Situation wanted as housekeeper by a lady of 23. 1118 Locust st., 2d floor, room 3.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted to do light housework in the country; will work reasonable; prefer to go on a large farm with a good family. Ad. G 27, Post-Dispatch.

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HOUSEWORK—Situation wanted by colored girl to do house or general housework; private family; reference. 5329 Wash st.

HOUSEWORK—Situation wanted to do general housework by young woman, without washing; good plain cook. Ad. L 50, Post-Dispatch.

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LADY—Sit. by experienced young lady of education; kitchen position in office; understands Remington; moderate salary. Ad. H 41, P.-D.

LADY—A refined young lady desires position as assistant in office. Ad. H 104, Post-Dispatch.

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LAUNDRESS—Wanted, washing and ironing to take home. 2046 Market st.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, washing to take home, by reliable German woman. Ad. L 10, Post-Dispatch.

LAUNDRESS—Good, reliable white woman wishes to go out by day. 3625 Clark av.

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NURSE—Experienced lady would like situation as nurse to a sick or invalid lady, or to act as maid; call or ad. 2708 N. 9th st.

NURSEGIRL—Sit. by girl 15 years old as nursegirl; no children under 2 years old. Call after 6 p. m., 1010 N. 11th st.

SEAMSTRESS—Position wanted by lady, sewing by the day. Ad. 2504 Lynch st.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted as stenographer of refinement and education; writes good business hand; $5 week; Smith or Remington machine. Ad. L 14, Post-Dispatch.

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STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted by a lady stenographer; new beginner with little experience. Ad. K 24, Post-Dispatch.

WOMAN—Good honest woman wants sweeping or ironing by the day; refs. Ad. Mrs. Atkinson, 2815 Olive st.

WOMAN—Middle-aged woman wants work of any kind. 29 S. 16th st.

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COOK WANTED—Second cook for restaurant. 1611 Franklin av.

COOK WANTED—Middle-aged woman to do plain cooking in nice family; good home. Ad. G 140, Post-Dispatch.

COOK WANTED—Good woman to cook, Swede preferred. 3204 Olive st.

COOK WANTED—Good plain cook; wages, $20. 2022 N. Broadway.

COOK WANTED—Good cook. 4339 Lindell bl.

COOK WANTED—A German girl to cook; references. 9 Portland pl.

COOK WANTED—3251 Hawthorne bl.

COOK WANTED—Girl to cook, wash and iron. 4560 Pine st.

COOK WANTED—Assist washing and ironing. 5120 McPherson av.

COOK WANTED—Cook for boarding house; at once. 2649 Washington av.

COOK WANTED—Girl to do cooking for newly married couple; no washing. 3927 Cleveland av.

COOK WANTED—Female cook, white or colored, at once. 903 Bremen av.

COOK WANTED—At once; $14 month; no washing. 2 Lewis pl., Taylor and Finney avs.

COOK WANTED—Cook to wash and iron; small family; other girls kept; good wages; white or colored. 5112 Westminster pl.

COOK WANTED—Cook, laundress and housegirl; colored. 3537 Morgan st.

COOK WANTED—Good white cook; no washing; good wages. 4021 W. Belle pl.

DINING ROOM GIRL WANTED—Girl or woman for dining room and restaurant work. 1223 Chouteau av.

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GIRL WANTED—Girl to wash dishes and assist in housework. 3856 Delmar bl.

GIRL WANTED—A competent girl; 3 in family; best wages. Apply at once at 5716 Cates av.

GIRL WANTED—Girl to nurse and assist in housework; good wages. 4446 Laclede av.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls to cook, wash and iron; small family. 3808 West Pine.

HELPERS WANTED—Competent helpers for dressmaker. 3418B Locust st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White or colored girl for general housework, family of 2. 2131 Ann.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Small girl for housework; no washing or ironing; German preferred. 3009 Wisconsin av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing. 2919 Allen av., near Nebraska.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German woman or girl for light housework; sleep at home. 1819 S. Jefferson av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Woman for general housework; without washing; good wages. 3041 Finney av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework in small family. 3812 Flad av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages. 1704 N. Grand av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; easy place. 5832 Chamberlain av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—No washing; permanent. 2523 Lucas av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A widower wants girl or woman to do housework and go errands. Apply at 1112 Locust st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A strong girl for general housework; family of 3. 4351 Delmar bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist with general housework. Call at 720 N. Garrison av.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; references required. 5880 Etzel av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3148 McPherson av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework in family of two; call Thursday, 2729 Stoddard st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages. 5820 Bartmer av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Experienced girl or middle-aged woman for general housework, at once. 3441 Ohio av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for light housework in small family; pleasant home; fair salary for right party. 4654 Delmar bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 4116 N. 11th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl, 15 years, to assist in housework. 2706½ S. 10th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist in housework; orphan preferred; between 15 and 16 years; good home in preference to wages. 2426 S. 21st st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl or lady for general housework in small family. 1121 Cass.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework. 2102 Clark av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework, with or without washing. 3836 Kosciusko st., east of Marine av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework. 2987 Lafayette av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework. 3009 Park av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for light housework; no washing; good pay. 3017 Thomas st.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good German girl for general housework; good wages. 3930 Russell.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; call at 3940 Castleman av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. Excelsior Laundry, Vail pl., near Lafayette Park.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework and to assist in bakery. 2736 Chouteau av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for housework. 3120 S. 7th st.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—Good, reliable woman or girl for general housework; must be good plain cook; call Wednesday evening, about 6 o'clock. 2651 Pine st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family; good wages. Apply 5075 Cabanne.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3543 Sidney st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A colored girl for general housework; small family; Webster Groves. 4209 Morgan st.

HOUSECIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework; small family; good pay, easy hours. 3406 Laclede av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Colored girl for general housework. Apply 5067A Vernon av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Housegirl; one who is experienced in waiting on table. 4478 West Belle.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 3048 Easton av.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl, 15 or 16, to assist in housework. 3740 Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Thoroughly competent girl for general housework in first-class family of 4; good wages. 4428A McPherson.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 4321 N. 21st st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework; small family; nice home. 3867 Windsor pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework; small family; $16 month. 5015 Raymond av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 6338 Suburban av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Middle-aged woman to assist with cooking and housework; small private family; no washing. 1211 N. Taylor av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages. 3408 Laclede av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for general housework; no cooking. 1923 Sidney st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for housework. 719 Carpenter pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3680 Finney av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework; with or without washing. 4036 Cook av.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—Good woman for general housework; 2 in family; refs. 3933 Lindell.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for light housework; about 16 years; small family; white or colored. 1021 N. Leffingwell av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 1314 Dillon st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 510 Whittier (42d) st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework in family of 2. 2705 S. Jefferson av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist in housework. 125 S. 14th st.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—Colored woman for housework; ref. required. 2808 Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework in boarding house. 238 Florida st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3505 Longfellow bl.; third house from Grand av.

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NURSEGIRL WANTED—A first-class German nurse; must bring references. Apply southwest corner Euclid and Duncan avs.

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PERSONAL—Cora: Write; am worried; cannot stand this silence; am sick. Mamma.

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Inventory of Grund's Estate.

An inventory of the estate of the late Louis Grund, filed in the probate clerk's office Wednesday, shows the estate to consist principally of real property on Ohio avenue, Chippewa street and in Tyler place.

The personal property, in stocks, bonds and cash, amounted to $1235.29.

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PROTEST AGAINST ART

BOSTONESE OBJECT TO CLOSE CONTACT WITH SCULPTURE.

ROME WAS THUS CORRUPTED

"Nude Art Never Helped a Soul to Believe in Jesus," Says the Protest.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BOSTON, June 12.—Bishop Mallalieu and many business men of Boston have issued a remarkable protest against holding the Y. M. C. A. reception in the Boston Art Museum tonight, on the ground of its being a place hardly proper for mixed social gathering of young men and young women; because of the presence there of nude masculine statues.

"Is there anything in the magic word 'art' to eradicate indecency?" the protest asks. "How can the exposure of the human form be any less potent in misleading thought when chiseled by a master hand? Rather may it not be said that the more exactly art follows the lines of the flesh the more effectively does it exert the same temptation as the flesh?

"Everyone knows that these identical images, or the originals from which these casts are taken, corrupted Greece and Rome, and that Naples and other Latin cities, whence they are obtained, are sunken in the mire of vice.

"Rather than continue the dangerous policy of familiarizing children with the sight of the exposed form, would it not be wiser for art museums in America to follow the example which, in the Vatican, covers with imitation leaves the immodest statues that have come down from a corrupt age?

"Nude art never helped a soul to believe in the Lord Jesus."

WILL GIVE INDIAN POW-WOW.

East St. Louis Red Men Arrange a Novel Demonstration.

Members of all the East St. Louis lodges of the Improved Order of Red Men will give a pow-wow at Gross' Park, Aug. 4, which will be a reproduction of the primitive Indian festivities.

The tribes of St. Louis, Glen Carbon, Collinsville, Troy and Belleville will join forces with the East St. Louis camps. Teepees, emblazoned with pictures of suns, dragons and serpents will be erected for the temporary habitation of the visitors.

The exercises will be opened with a parade through the principal streets of the city, in which the ladies, representing the Degree of Pocahontas, will give exhibitions of equestrianism.

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SHERIFF AND THE PICTURES.

Deputy Is in Charge of the Hoffman House Art Gallery.

NEW YORK, June 12.—The Hoffman House pictures and glassware are still under the charge of Deputy Sheriff Radley, who levied on them Monday on an execution for a judgment of $18,074, in favor of Edward S. Stokes. The case is to be appealed, it was said at the sheriff's office. An appeal will act as a stay, and if a bond is given pending appeal the sheriff's deputy will be withdrawn.

Free Fun
For every Post-Dispatch reader. See the Post-Dispatch Recreation Tokens, they pay the bill.

Cooking Demonstration.—Pupils of the Hodgen School, who have received instructions in housekeeping from Miss Lisbeth Gladfelter, demonstrated their ability to prepare food for the table Tuesday afternoon. The demonstration took place in the school at Eads and Texas avenues, where a luncheon was spread by the pupils.

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TO BREAK THE STRIKE.

The Metal Trades Association Raises a Fund of $500,000.

NEW YORK, June 12.—The convention of the National Metal Trades Association continues its sessions today. The closing hours of the convention are being devoted to the completion of organization and the final arrangement of plans designed to strengthen the hands of the manufacturers in their fight against the striking machinists. The sum of $500,000 raised by assessments is to be placed at the disposal of a strike committee to be used in behalf of the employers.

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The concert to be given this evening by this year's graduates from Beethoven Conservatory will be a great event in musical society. The affair will take place in the auditorium of the Odeon and as several thousand invitations have been sent out, the hall will probably be filled to the doors. The participants in the evening's program are to be the ten stars of the graduating class—Misses Emily Hammer, Mabel Degge, Clara Miller, Maria Yost, Frances Weiss, Annette Kirk (of Kokomo, Ind.) and Lola Keough—all pianists; Miss Sadie Cutler and Miss Grace Green, vocalists, and Miss Catherine Bain, violinist.

Miss Keough is a post-graduate and a marvelously talented musician. Miss Yost is also an exceptionally brilliant performer. Messrs. Abe and Herman Epstein will be the accompanists of the evening.

CITY NEWS.

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CAPT. WILHELM DEAD.

American Officer Wounded in Battle With Filipinos.

MANILA, June 12.—Capt. William H. Wilhelm of the Twenty-first Infantry, who was recently wounded in the shoulder in an engagement with insurgents at Lipa, Batangas province, died today.

Three Through Trains Daily.
The "Katy Flyer," 8:23 p. m., with through sleeper to the City of Mexico; 11:05 p. m., Texas Express; 9:25 a. m., Mail and Local Express.

N. B.—Through Tourist Sleeper every Tuesday to California points. City Ticket Office, 103 North Broadway.

Woman Seriously Injured.—Mrs. Annie LeBeau, 32 years old, of 603 North Broadway, while returning to her home after passing the day with friends on Soulard street, stumbled over a long steel beam at Ninth street and Park avenue at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday night and was seriously hurt.

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